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# CHIANG'S CLARION

# Accuses Reds Of Being Tools Of World Plot WORLD

Shanghai, April 27. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek predicted today that China may become the tinderbox of a terrifying third world war if the

Breaking a four-month silence since his retirement from the Presidency on January 21, Chiang called for support of the Government of Acting President Li Tsung-jen. Chiang spoke as Director-General of the Kuomintang (Government) Party.

As Chiang's statement was released by the Central News Agency, the Communists were reported to have taken Soochow (Wuhsien), 50 miles West of Shanghai.

Chiang's statement bore a Chikow dateline but both Chinese and foreign newspapers insisted the Generalissimo was in Shanghai.

Chiang said the Communists were seeking to "enslave the Chinese people to the cause of international Communism by attempting to make all China the military base and source of manpower for the benefit of the Communist plan for world domination."

Chiang, who promised full support to the Government of Li, nevertheless, may have chosen this means of coming from retirement to lead China in her battle against Commun-

He called on his people to fight as hard against Communism as they did against the Japanese in eight years of war. At the same time, he admitted some of the chortcomings of his own 22-year rule of the van' country.

## Reds Blunder

The Generalissimo said the Reds by cressing the Yangtse had blundered into the same military errors that marred the Japanese in their conquest of China.

The river crossing, he said, represents the "reak of Communist military development." It will bring the Reds "face to face with the tangline mass of military political and economic problems which will eventually result in their downfall.

so long as we carry on the strug- logs but the security and peace gle the Communists can neither of all Asia as well as the whole enslave nor destroy our country, world would be threatened direct-Within three years the final vie- ly. tory will be ours."

ago Nanking was liberated from the Japanese.

"We are confronted," said Chlang, "by a dark, brutol force which seeks to rob our people of their liberty, destroy the independence of our nation and threaten the peace of the entire world.

"In this struggle, the life and liberty of every one of our people is tied with the life of the nation," he continued. "Although I retired from the post of President, I feel I cannot lightly disregard my responsibility as citizen at a lime our country is faced with danger, cur people on the brink of disaster. I wish to pledge at this time of crists that I shall chare the sufferings of my fellow countrymen." .

## International Implications:

Chlang said his Government realised that Communism was a cbb that the general position of problem of international implica- the Government became critical." tions that China alone could not settle. If that problem in China could have been settled through Chiang went on, he felt that it would help establish a basis for i world peace.

"It was with this realisation that the Nationalist Government in good faith called the political consultative conference and accepted the good offices of the United States for mediation.

"Despite these efforts," said the Generalisalmo, "the Communists never showed serious intention to Peace bring about a peaceful settlement. Negotiations dragged on for more than a year and the Communists took advanage of the talks to no intention for peace. Recent therities issued a warning to susseize Manchurla."

egainst them, Chiang explained. the Chinese people its cannon violation of emergency peace. As the master of the house is king, with all the looting and "We realised that it eligits to- fed er for aggressive world Com- maintenance measures .-- Associat- in Canton, the exact amount of chaos beioth and after the Red Low

## Reds Active On Hainan

Hong Kong. April 27. Four thousand Communist troops on Hainan Island off the South China coast wiped out one battalion of Nationalist troops guarding an iron mine in Shihlu on the West coast, according to arrivals from tho Island.

Nationalist land and sea forces have been alerted to watch out for such an eventuality.

They estimated the Reds on the island to be 12,000 strong, -Associated Press.

ist military could not be successfully concluded within one or two "I am certain," he said, "that ple would undergo untold suffer- to positions from which

# He recalled that only four years "If We Should

with the dreadful possibility that if we should fail, China would Communists captured Spochow become the tinderbox battle- which controls the main road and ground of a terrifying third world rail lines East to Shanghal and war, in which every nation of the was the last strategic outpost at world would be tragically in- which a stand might have been planes bound for Shanghai from Swatow and Amoy. volved."

tain sections of the Chinese and walt for Shanghai to fall of its Kong continued to be more than afresh here." the foreign public as well as the own weight. inroads made by Communist fifth

political developments as well as pared to move out entirely. international diplomatic activities failed to produce the conditions | ing of former Japanese destroyer. necessary for the success of the four former U.S. minesweeners Government's military. morale of both the people and emit left the city, leaded to the armed forces fell to such low capacity with men and equipment.

Chiang pointed out that during they openly announced they Foreigners would fight side by side with the Soviet Union in the event of-a third world war.

admission the Chinese Communist Party was the willing tool of international Communism."

# No Intention For

necessary military massures base for the third world war and versive activities or acts in and \$200 in cash.

"No nation which desires to be

ree can shun the responsibility

which China is now bearing as a

result of her tragic struggle,"

Chang said. He called Communist Mao Tsetung e "far more dangerous traitor to China than the Japanese puppet Wang Ching-wei (Prerident of Japanese-controlled China during the war) who, during the war, tried to make an individual peace with the Japan-

Chleng said Wang was merely weak but Mao in allying himself to informational Communism, was "Lecause he is seeking to enslave and destroy his own nation."

## Fall Of Soochow

The Communists today moved closer toward Shanghai after a two-day pause, overrunning the key outpost of Soochow, 50 miles West, and sending advance raiders within 25 miles of this restive more optimistic note. One and fentful metropolis.

Regrouped and refreshed, the years, not only the Chinese peo- Communist armies edged forward could launch a two-pronged drive on Shanghal or to isolate it by latinewhat. Although economic slicing across to the sea North West of the city.

brought massive armies into or looting. position around a broad area through Soochow and Kwangteh. some 45 miles North West of Hangehow. A sudden thrust to Hangehow, great rail and port "We were constantly faced city would cut off Shanghai. The Nationalists admitted that

made outside of Shanghai itself. Chiang placed some of the major battle shaping up West followed in the afternoon and possible" several interviewed blame for the military and politi- and South West of Shanghai with evening. The number of people aboutd the Sandviken declared. cal shortcomings of his regime on the Communists bidding for an going to Shanghal yesterday was These people disclosed that they the general misapprehension of easy spring to Hangchow. That less than half the former average, had sold out their "meagre" pro-Communist intentions among cer- would enable them to- halt and while the number arriving in Hong perties and "can easily begin

Spurred by the new Communist column activities in China and advances, the exodus from Shanghal is being stepped up. The Central Bank of China sent part "As a result, Chinese domestic of its staff to Canton and pre-

A Chinese naval unit, consist-The together with several smaller

ties dinnounced full protection for an amah of the house who was lers alleged. The rest field because He called this a "shameless foreign residents, including out on an errand returned and they were probably carried away diplematic representatives. They found the door locked. She tried by alarmist rumours of Red ter- aw winds. Continuing fair and warm to harm foreign residents, would when she tried to go down into "Put

provisions. leanings have been arrested by the local authorities in a drive regainst possible fifth columnists in the city, according to Chinese

ed Press and Reuter.

## The Princess Dances



Princess Elizabeth dances with Captain David Butters at London's Dorchester, Hotel during a recent ball staged in ald of the National Playing Fields Association Silver Jubilee Campaign. The Princess and the Duke of Edinburgh were questa of honour. AP Photo.

## Arrivals Vague About Shanghai

Opinion about developments in the Shanghai area, as expressed by passengers arriving by air yesterday, reflected considerable confusion. far more ambitious and dangerous The question brought forth answers which put the Reds anywhere from 10 to 30 miles from the

> How soon did they think the |double. Several planes made the city would fall? The belief-trip to Shanghai empty yesterday among the well-to-do Chinese morning. passengers was that it would Just Another Change be no longer than three or

Some foreigners sounded a British businessman said:

"I think it might hold out for several more weeks." The situation in Shanghai It-

self and at Lunghua Airfield seemed to have quicted conditions remain chaotic, the gendarmes appear to have suc-The renewed Communist drive ceeded in preventing any panie

Silver Dollars

be in great demand, and as one be in great demand, and as one time. There were, however, passenger remarked: "Without several well-to-do, passengers them, you can't do anything." Business is at a standstill as result of the cush shortage. Howlever, there is apparently no food shortage. Most people have laid they had left Shanghai, earlier in a supply ahead of time. Ten for the Southern cities Hong Kong took off early yes-

# Voeux Rd

The Wing Tak Company at No. 33 Des Voeux Road Central, first floor, was visited by Yangtse came through. "But they Four of the men were armed with revolvers and wanted no time in herding everybody on the premises into one part of the house.

They then bound and gagged them and ransacked the premises and stole \$2,400. The Shanghal Garrison authori- While the robbers were busy deserting their posts, some travel-

be dealt with under martial law the street, the robbers opened the bourers and poorer class are redoor and seized her. She was taken mulning behind, hopeful of better Several hundred students sus- into the house, bound and gagged days under Red Luministration," pected of having pro-Communist too and in addition was relieved they declared.

Two men paid a visit to No. 87 Austin Road, first floor. On enter- | were surprisingly unanimous on ing the men, both un armed, bound one point-they will probably re-Chinng charged the Reds have Memiwhile, the security an and gagged the amah and made turn when everything is peace

While the searching was going Government holds sway there. alm of the Chinese Communists is and Government departments that on, another amah who was out at "We are actually running away kel. Humidity Communist crossing of the the conquest and final-subjugation drastic measures would also be the time returned and was also not from rumoured Red terrorism, wind Direction, ... Yellow River into Central China bi China so that this country taken against them should they bound and gagged. The robbers but from the inevitable country taken against them should they forced the Government to take could be conveniently used as a be found to be engaged in sub-stole one gold ring; a wrist watch sequences of one invading army rises-

lifetime," she told the "China Mail", "and I think this is another

Arrivals by the ss. Shengking peachment resolution filed by Mr. (Shanghal), ss. Laura Maesk Quirino's political opponents. (Shanghal), ss. Tsinan (Amoy, committee majority said Swatow) and ss. Sandviken charges constitute neither wilful (Swatow, Amoy) told a similar violation of the Constitution nor story yesterday.

The pussengers, mostly middle class people, including some officials and workers, were among the lucky few who had antici-The silver dollar continues to pated the advance and booked in bringing their families or coming in hope to be able to re-establish their business in the Colony.

Many of the arrivals said that "We wanted to get away from

There were indications of a terday morning. Several others the trouble spots, as early as

Accommodation Ready replied when asked whether they gency. had accommodation prepared. Several flats had already been reserved by their friends.

According to these passengers, many had already quit Shanghai by train or by plane when news of the sudden Red crossing of the five men at 6 p.m. yesterday. had to pay and how!" a foreigner, declining identification, declared. "ti was not uncommon to

hear of gold bara being offered as payment for a ticket .... and not one or two," he said fugees were Government official-

"Put the majority of the la-Maximum : 86.8 der. Fah. When There is Peace

Most of yesterday a ... arrivals in China, irrespective of what 

## SHANGHAI CANNON FIRE

Shanghai, April 27. Cannon fire was heard in this city early this morning. The Garrison Headquarters explained quickly that the rumbling was coming from Army testing field pieces .-- United Press.

## British Evacuees Advised

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Shanghai, April 27. British evacuees for Hong officially notified this morning than a year he and his Unby the British Consulate-Genoffice of the Consulate today for steamship tickets which will be issued by the representative of the Java China-Packet Lines Ltd.

The British Consulate notice ndvised all intending (passengers Mr. Landale, "we have both colto bring with them their passage lectively and individually made money, passport and international inquiries as to whether His Mavaccination certificates.

evacuees is unknown but they are believed not to be consider-

be today and tomorrow. parting tomorrow. APL is putting to forward alternatives. cots in the dining salon and elsewhere to accommodate 150 extra passengers.-Reuter and Associat- port of all my Unofficial col-

## Philippine President Cleared

ed Press.

Manila, April 27. A special House of Representa-Among those arriving late yes- tives committee, by a 5-2 vote, tained in his despatch No. 145 of terday afternoon by air was an decided tonight there were no good October 22, 1948, it has become old, old lady over 90 years of age. grounds for impeachment proceed- increasingly evident that in the "I've seen many changes in my ings against President Quirino.

The committee will recommend on April 28 that the House dismiss the five charges in the imhigh crime,-Associated Press.

# China - Bound

Pearl Harbour, April 27. The American heavy cruiser St. Paul and the light cruiser Manchester will sail from Pearl Harbour for China waters next Saturday, Pacific Fleet . Headquarters announced.

The cruisers will relieve the ight cruisers Pasadena and Springfield, now at Western' Pacific stations.

Relief at this time places two additional large warships at the disposal of the U.S. Western Paci-"Yes, we had seen to that," they fic Commander in case of emer-

the cruisers.-Associated Press.

Four destroyers will accompany

## The Weather

ridge of high pressure from the Bibertan anti-cyclone atratches from NW China across Central China to the Ryukus and N Luxon. To the E of this ridge At least 70 per cent of the re- complex low presence system covering Manchuria and Japan is moving slowly Slack pressure gradients persist over China and the neighbouting seas.

At 0600 GMT (8 p.m. HKST) a weak

Today's Forecasts-light mainly 8 of

Yesterday's Weathers-

Minimum: 76.0 deg. Yah. Sunshines 9.8 hours. Rainfallt Nil. Total since Jan. 214.2 mm. = 8.02 les, as against an average of \$71.2 mm.=10.68 ins. | Readings at

# A RECONSTITUTED COUNCIL

proposed Municipal Council for Hong Kong should be abandoned, and in its place a reconstituted Legislative Council of nine official members including the Governor, and 11 Unofficial members, should be set up, urges a motion which the Unofficial members will file with Government.

Notice of the motion was given by Mr. D. F. Landale, senior Unofficial member, at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council. He said that the motion would not be moved for another six weeks so as to give time for public opinion to be assessed.

Giving notice of the motion Kong already processed were Mr. Landale said that for more official colleagues had been far eral to call at the shipping from convinced that the proposals set out in Sir Mark Young's despatch of October genuine inhabitants of the Colony desired.

"During this time," continued jesty's Government was prepared The exact number of British to consider alternative proposals

Alternative Proposals "The first indication that His Yesterday was moving day for Malesty's Government was pre-Americans in Shanghai-so will pared to consider alternative proposals was made public in the About 100 Americans, mostly report of the Press conference women and children, boarded given by Mr. Paskin, an Assistant Naval vessels yesterday, Another Under Secretary in the Colonial group of more than 60 will board Office, on January 19, 1949; and the President Line's Wilson which you, sir, in your closing remarks is arriving this morning and de- on the budget debate invited us

"This I now do by means of this motion which has the sup-

"We do not propose to move for six weeks, or so in order to give us an opportunity to assess public opinion on it." The text of the motion is as

follows: Since the publication of the despatch of the Right Honourable the Secretary bf State for the Colonies dated 3rd July, 1947, in which he gave general approval subject to minor modifications to the recommendations submitted by Sir Mark Young and conview of the general public of

Hong Kong. Mark Young involving the creation of a Municipal Council and minor modifications of the constitution of the Legislative Council are no longer considered to be the best means of giving to the inhabitants of the Colony a fuller and more responsible share in the management of their own affairs; (b) Sumelent consideration was not given to alternative methods of achieving this object; (c) The most effective means of achieving this object is a more fundamental modification of the

More Responsible Share Therefore in order to make She was due to land at Naple known to His Majesty's Govern- airport at 4.30 p.m. this after

Constitution of the Legislative

Council.

# Dr. Stuart

Heard From Washington, April 27. The U.S. State Department sald on Tuesday it' was in radio communication with Ambassador J: Leighton Stuart in Communist-occupied Nanking. Officials assume the envoy is free to move; around, following the invasion of the Embassy re-

-Associated Press. sent views of the Colony, it. hereby moved that for the pun pose of affording the inhabitari of the Colony a fuller land more responsible share in the manage ment of their own affairs:

sidence carly Monday by

armed Communist soldiers.

(1) The present proposal for the establishment of a Municipal Council be abandoned; (2) The constitution of the Legislative Council should be con stituted as follows: "A council of 20 with an Officia

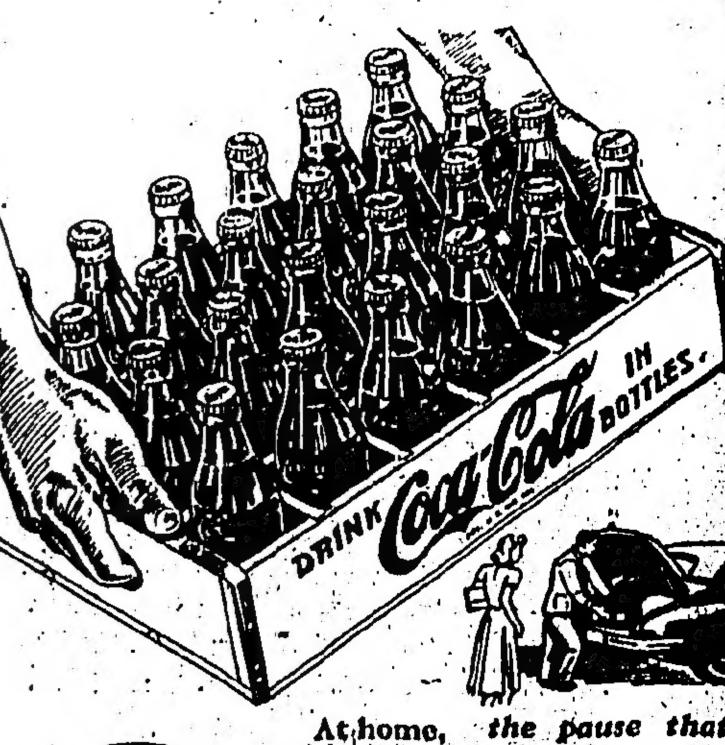
membership of 9, including H Excellency the Governor, and a Unofficial membership of 11 con sisting harly of members elected by qualified residents of Britis Nationality and partly of men bers nominated by the Governo The Governor to have an original and casting vote and , the usua reserve Dower. (3) After the constitution

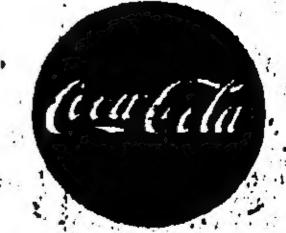
the Legislative Council has bee modified as above indicated to new Legislative Council she consider whether and if so what extent, the constitution! the Urban Council should. & modified with the view to serin ing for the Urban Council greater measure of direct repre sentation and an increase in i and administrative powers in municipal affairs.

## Princess. Off For Italy

London, April 27. Eighteen-year old Princes Margaret left London airport thi morning in a twin-engined Vikin plane of the King's Flight of th first stage of her four weeks tou

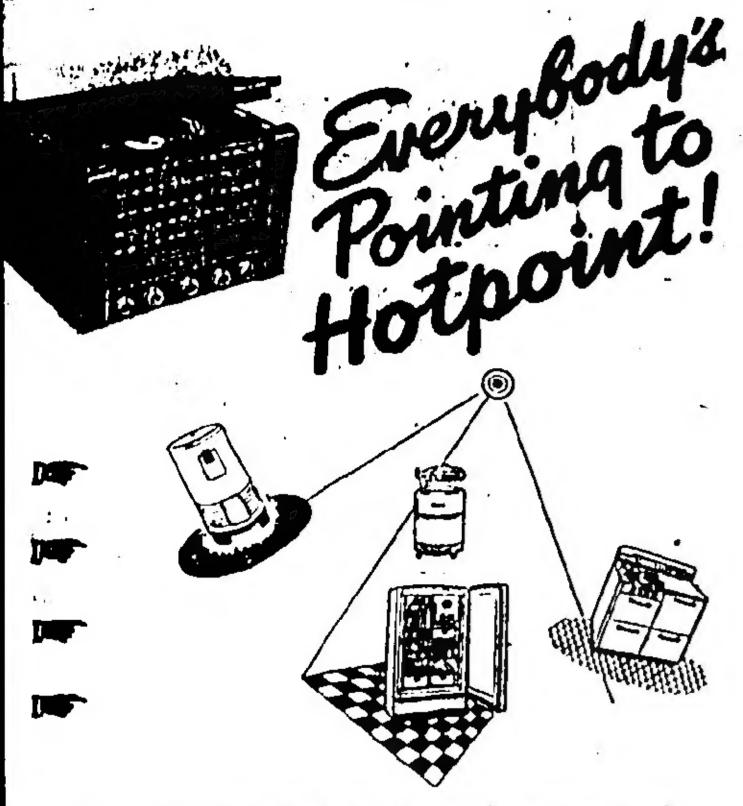
ment as soon as possible the pre- noon .- Reuter. Where there's Coca-Cola there's hospitality



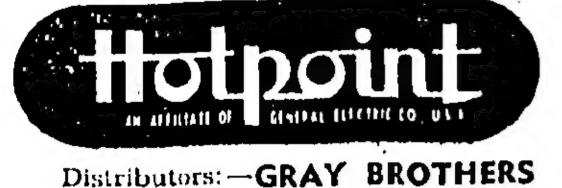


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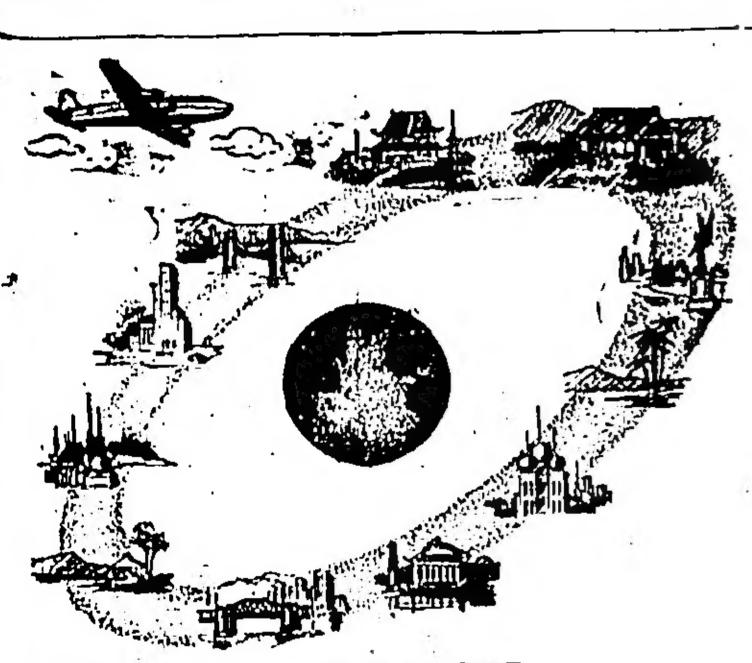
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## Correspondence

The Editor takes no responaibility for views expressed in letters by correspondents, and by no means necessarily agrees with

## Colony's Future

Sir,-In a short time from now. the Communist armies will capture South China and Istand at the borders of this Colony. None can deny the peril which we shall thon face.

It may be that the Communists. flushed with success, will pass over the border and drive us into the sea. If they do, such an attack could only be resisted by a great expeditionary ferce based on the port, and this is neither available nor possible. We shall, of course, "fight to the last man," a process always strongly advocated by politicians thousands of miles away; but here we must of necessity be realists. And the reality of the situation is clear; Hone Kong is indefensible ( against strong and well-equipped army. But this need cause us no great, ntarm; a Commenist invasion or World War: and the Russian bloc will not desire that for some years to come. What we cannot prevent need cause no worry; so let us durn to a more real and pressing danger.

It is far more likely that the Communists may, if evilly-disposed towards us, endeavour to force us out of this Colony by indirect means. Mach of the population of South China is iby nature inclined to banditry; what fertile soil is this for agitators: Let his therefore expect to face, not legions, but ganga; not bombs and cannon, but pistols and grenades; not organised divisions. but 'a rabble of looters.

To combat a danger such as this the Government's Defence Force the defence. He told the Court es a useless organisation, A typical that he had on two previous 'orproduct of politician's thinking, it casions driven dorries to the is conceived on grandiose lines Trame office to be inspected. suited to large-scale modern compaigns-not to backyard skirmishing. Against the forces of lorry, which was passed by Cowle. unrest we have been considering, it would be cumbersome, overcentralised and bureaucratically misdirected. But its basic "charter" provides the main stumblingblock; the power, i for instance, reserved by the Government of sending its members out of the Colony. Who can guarantee that this Defence Force may not be used as a political tool to help bolster up these wicked plutocrats of the Kuomintaug who have brought China to her present shame, and the others who exereise much power in this Colony behind -the scenes?

No. There is a classic method of dealing with rioting; !that is, the formation of genuine Volunteers. Let the gentlemen of Hong Kong without delay beformed into bands; let them be given weapons and training. The term "gentlemen" by the way, is it include all fof such. .The core incident. of our Velunteers must be utterthe community.

is simplicity itself; each group of drink. Further questioned, he fold houses, flats, offices and shops the Court that from the insinuashould have its own section or itions he gathered from Cowie's platoon, with a local "strong first remark, he knew the Inspecpoint" for dedal HQ. One har for meant he wanted money. two centralised HQ's for co-orand communications. preferably alted in the military the organisation complete. As to training, this running regularly, and was

need not be elaborate. Each section commander should be as for as possible a veteran of the last War, preferably with street fighting experience. 'The Volunteers' main job is to learn to shoot, with lectures, demonstrations and practices in street fighting. Exaggerated parades and military pomp is out of place in a commando force of this

nature. Let me once again emphasise that this force should be utterly unpolitical: it should exist for one

purpose enly—the defence of our homes our property, our jobs and the peaceful life of the community. May I commend this scheme to the consideration of the Reform Club who in so meny other ways

are demonstrating their ' true

colony?

concern for the affairs of the VAE VICTIS.

### ITEMS HOUSEHOLD

Gold Seal Glass Wax Lighter Fluid-Mystik Belf Stick Taper tongs door stops Shoe Trees-chair tips Shinola . White polish, soap, liquid tube Wire hangers-plastic hangers Steel strainers-plastle strainers

Cheese cloth-steel wool

COASTER SETS W/stand, In . gold or chrome finish, \$4:50 Berving trays Paper cups, plates.

Conflicting evidence as to from which of the pockets in Cowie's overalls he at the CID office took out the \$50 he was alleged to have accepted as a bribe, featured hearings of the claim for damages before Sir Leslie Gibson, Chief Justice, yesterday.

said evidence concerned was given by Mr. Charles Mottram, Assistant Director of Criminal Investigation, and Sub-Inspector V. M. Morrison, of the Anti-Corruption Branch, both testifying for the defendant in the case,

the Attorney General. The latter is being sued by William Henry: Cowie, ex-Sub-Inspector of Police, for the sum totalling HK\$6,976. Plaintiff was dismissed from his post on August :25, 1947. following investigations by a Board of Enquiry on his alloged acceptance of a \$50 bribe from one Chan Yu-tong. The Hong Kong could only be under- suit is brought forward by taken at the grave risk of a third Cowie for wrongful dismissal o! contract.

The special plury hearing the counsel. case comprises Mr. F J. Horman-Fish, Mr. Chan Sin-mirg. Mr. Kenneth Chan, Mr. J. Mothersill, Mr. T.J. Prait, Mr. R.E. Desni,

and Mr. S.S. Jorgensen. Mr. D. A. Bernnechi instructed oy Mr. Y. H. Chan is representing Cowle. Conducting the defence is Mr. A. Lonsdale, Grown Counsel, instructed by Mr. L.R. Andrewes, Crown Solicitor.

Yu Hoi-chuen, allas Chan Vutong, who had, on the instructions. of the police taken his lorgy to be examined by Cowle on June 5. 1947, gave further evidence for The second of these, he stated. was a Studebaker 1939 model

## Cowie's Remark

Going further into detail as to by a friend. that particular occasion, witness told the Court that Cowie asked him if he was the owner of the case? Yes, I knew that. vehicle, to which Yu said he an"wered in the affirmative. "You know about it now," Cowie is: alleged to have told him.

On inspecting the tyres of the sald lorry, witness went on, Cowie remarked that they were not very good. Yu said he then handed Cowle \$30, and Cowle put it into his pecket. Cowie is further alleged to have commented that the money was too little. Witness replied by stating that he had not at the moment much money with him, and that he would pay \$50 next time.

Some time after this, Yu connot restricted to the owners of linued, he went to see Inspector large Yankee cars; neither does Johnston to tell him about this

Cross-examined by Mr. Berly reliable men with a stake in muchl. Yu said he gave the money to Cowie, telling him that The organisation of this body it was for him to buy himself n

> Yu further disclosed that some time in November 1947, he sold the larry in question. Up to the is time he sold it, he added, it was

passed every month. 'good to do somethey told him, on May 15 last. and it was test to leave the

ness if the date on which lorry down to the Sun Sun Restaurant was examined was May 12, the in Nathan Road, from where they which Yu replied that he did not could see the Magistracy building.

Yu was further questioned exinterview he had with Shaftain and Johnston, fier which Counsel cross-examined witness the subsequent conversation' between him and Cowle on the testing of the Chevrolet on June 5, 1947, on arrangement with Johnston.

## Five \$10 Notes

Mr. Bornacchi asked Yu how the conversation regarding money them with the dollar notes, after inside the lorry during which the which Cowie was cautioned by five \$10 notes was alleged to have him. Johnston then phoned up gold valued at \$530 returned been passed to Cowie, could take Shattain, who eventually tirrived. him. place within so short a distance. Johnston then explained the ... A total of 25.7 facis valued Vu-udhered to his claim, stating whole matter to him in the pres- \$3,500 was ordered to be con- ing and selling on hehalf of the that the conversation did take mee of Cowie, who remained ascated when Koo Gar-tong fail- shop.

Counsel then asked witness the same asked witness whether or not any traffic ruminonses had been served against him by the beginning of June 2. The next witness, A. S. P.

CI .. CONT TO THE FOR MOVICES TO THE Cing's Building (2nd Slott) & Constant Rd, Blk. 7st, Sizes
Telegraps Tarrings

Further questioned. Yu admitted that before June there were three or four summonses HK brought against him for traffic offences involving careless driving.

After being summered and summarily convicted by fines or cautions, witness revealed, he always had the thought in mind that his " licerice was" liable to auspension owing to the privious records. This would have meant without notice and in breach an inconvenience to his transportation business, he agreed with

Yu further ingreed that he told Johnston that he had the Chevrolet lorry 'No. 5353 to be tested on June 4. He; however, denied mentioning at any time into the police officers of the possiblity of certain outstanding summonses to be withdrawn against him.

## About Summonses

Counsel then 'asked witness whether he did ever discuss with Johnston or Shaftain the question of summonses against him, to which Yu umphatically denied. Counsel: Were you acquainted with anybody in any way previous to June 2 who had assisted the Anti-Corruption Branch of the CID?

Witness: No. Before you went to Johnston on June 2, have you ever seen him before? Yes.

Had you not been introduced, a month previous, to him? Yes, -Did you know that this friend

was assisting Johnston on a acquainted with someone who of Shanghai pleaded in vain Muk'for \$100, and the chain block with a pass. Lam Kit handed the

that the police, having received ss. Hupeh. certain assistance from someone, later helped that person out in turn with some of his own problems. Yu replied that he never heard of such a case before.

the Traffic office by Cowie on way to Canton. June 5 was either the hope of the premise that summenses or possible summonses pending money now for food, hotel and jobs, said R.S. Lennard, skipper against him would be with- for their passage to Canton. drawn if he performed his job satisfactorily in this particular instance. This suggestion was emphatically denied by wliness: conversation that took place in help from that quarter, the vehicle was only in respect of what was wrong with the lorry iwas also denied.

## Sub-Inspector Morrison

Sub-Inspector V. M. Morrison of the Anti-Corruption Branch, In reply to a query, witness | then took the stand to give evidsaid he had waited until June 2 ence, in the course of which he to report the passing of the \$30 said that Shaftlin, eratwhile Offito Cowle, because his fokis had cer in Charge of the Anti-Corauggested otherwise. It was no ruption Branch, left the Colony

He testified as to having on June 5, 1947, accompanied Johns-Mr. Bernacchi then asked wit- ton who was then Sub-Inspector,

Witness went on to state that later on inside Mottram's office tensively on the subject of the he saw Cowie emptying his left breast pocket first, the contents Cowie, it is alleged, then turned his trouser pockets on both sides inside tout. Nothing came out of thren. A fountain pen or propelling pencil came out from one of the pockets in the loveralls,

Among the things that lay on the table were five \$10 notes foldedi : Morrison . continued. Johnston then showed Cowie a piece of paper- and compared silent -the whole time.

## Money On The Table

to which witness unread. Up its Charles Motiroon, Assistant Directhat time, howndded, there had tor of Criminal Investikation been some summonses served on telling the Court his version of him, but there were some that the events in his office, said that had not as yet been don't with... as far as he could recollect the These summonses, witness said, \$50, in question was produced out were in respect of offences re- of the right trausers bocket among stated that he had the impression that the impression of accomplainant did not know that the right frought was taken to had be pon-was atolen timil the plainant and least \$250 for him the bis pon-was atolen timil the plainant and least \$250 for him guity to the obarge, and leave it the hand of Cowin had with the bis pon-was atolen timil the was informed by the police officer.

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## Today

Skal Club luncheon on board ss. Tjitjalengka, 12.30 p.m.; RIL launch leaves Queen's Pler, 19.15 p.m.

Y's Men's Club luncheon, Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12.45 p.m. Peninsula Hotel, 12.30 p.m. HK Ait Club, monthly exhibition, St. John's Cathedral Hall, 10

Union Church, Ladles Guild meeting, Nethersole Hospital 3.30 p.m. HK Stage Club 'presents' "Twelfth Night". China Fleet Club

theatre, (for schools only), 7.15 p.m. Reform Club, 5th public meeting, Kowloon Cricket Club, 6 p.m.

Opening of St. Paul's College's new Domestic Science and Commercial Class rooms, Miledonnell Road, 4.30 p.jn. Brifish Council weekly film show. Holena May Institute, 5.30

## Coming Events

TOMORROW Special Services Danos, European YMCA, West Lounge, 8 p.m.

to 11 p.m.

Women's Section, YMCA, Around the Magazines meeting 10 n.m. HK Lawn Tennis Association, some aboard the vessel and there . Inspector Wheeler prosecuted. & Lo's office, Alexandria Bldg.,

5.15 p.m. HKFA Emergency Sub-Committee Meeting, Prince's Bldg., 6.15 p.m. SATURDAY

Lawn Bowls, friendly matches, CCC, Taikoo RC, IRC, PRC, Filipino Club, and KCC. engue soccer matches, First and Second Divisions.

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# Gold Bars

Two Chinese officers and So that on June 2, you were three Chinese women, natives about \$15,000, were sold to Pang identified himself as a policeman was in touch with the CID. Yes. at Central yesterday, for the for \$50. All the articles have been jacket and wrist-watch to witness Mr. Bernacchi then asked wit- return of gold bars found in recovered. ness whether he did hear before. their possession on board the Pang was taking the goods away, has ded them to the police-

were refugees from the Com- while on the way to Yaumati. the property. The policeman apmunists and the gold bars repre- Dillon was sentenced to four peared to have put the watch and sented their only belongings weeks hard labour on the chain wallet in the pocket of the jacket, · Counsel at this point suggested which they could bring with charge and four months, on the but when a check was made by to Yu that his motive in taking them. They did not know the share parts count, the sentences the complainant later, both the out the lorry to be examined at laws of the Colony and were on to be consecutive.

should their story be true, the refrained from making any statemagistrate remarked that the Witness further denied having law has to be upheld. He re- Mr. Wicks, slipped the \$50 into | Cowie's commended them to see the pocket without his knowledge, A Secretary of Chinese affairs to further suggestion that the only and out if they could get any

> Should they be really hard up, he said, they could try as a last launch, ferry vessel or motor boat resort to petition the Governor- shall lie or anchor or be under in-Council to judge their case on way in Repulse Bay. Middle Yangiso River. their individual morits.

# Failure

A plea that he was on his way to his family in Talwan was made by a merchant, Liu Hwa-Chean, aged 34, when he appeared before Mr Blair Kerr yesterday on a charge of importing gold without a permit.

Revenue Officer Knox said that defendant arrived from Shanghai of which he placed on the table on Tuesday and when asked whether he had any gold, declared that he had none.

> Defendant was searched and two gold bars valued at \$2,298 (16 taels) found on him. The case was remanded to this morning.

Two gold bars valued at: \$224 (two tacks) were ordered to be returned to Yeung Woo Shing Yung, a woman.

Young Tse-foo had 1,7 tacks

ed to appear in court to answer! a charge of importing gold with- plainant, was a told of the shop out a permit. Defendant's ball and a friend of accused. On April of \$20 was ordered estroated.

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# Larceny Case

He had arrived in the Colony without money so he "wangled" 20 blankets from the ship's store to raise cash, said James Dougan, a young private in the RASC attached to the

LCT Maxwell Brander. Kowleon Rolary Club luncheon. Dougan was charged before Mr. J. Wicks yesterday with the larceny of 20 blankets, the property of His Majesty's Government, and sentenced to six weeks' hard labour. The blankets were recovered.

> cast "included" three defendants, Matthew Dillon and William Simpson of the LCT and Pang Muk.

Dillon and Simpson faced charges of the larceny of a chain block and tackle and some vital ship's spare parts. Dillon was discharged on a count of receiving relved a sentence of three months'

hard labour. Pang Muk, convicted on a charge of receiving stolen in which Chung Ping-tong, property-evidence stated that he aged 25, a policeman, attachhought the stolen properties from ed to the Eastern Police. Statenece to six months' hard labour tion was charged with steal-

and deportation. Both Dougan and Pang, Muk, and one wallet containing after their case had been heard, three \$10 notes and two photo-European gave voluntary evidence in the graphs, the property of G. M.

henring of Dillon's case, Park Muk related how he had son and Company, Limited. annual general meeting. Lo had made bargains with Dillon Defendant is represented by Mr. mortly, although later | Simpson Alfed Y. Hon.

was involved in the "business". from the dock: "Leannot argue George Robinson, a leading stores against that and so I am chang! assistant of Hids Tamar. about the 20 blankets." Detective Sub-Inspector W.H. ed there till 1 a.m. ... Summers, prosecution for the

Richard Haggarty gave evidence bim. A woman named Lam Kit, that the spare parts-for the whom he had met before, was ship's evaporator plout, changing holding the jacket. She asked salt water to fresh water-was him to look after McDougall, Confiscated salt water to fresh water—was him to look after McDougall, most vital to the ship; especially Two persons then came up. One when 'nt' sha:

away, after having loaded them man. from the ship to a sampan, when Defendants pleaded that they he was stopped by the Police witness asked defendant to return

Both Dillon and Simpson, the ling. latter being married with two They said that they have no children in Britain, had lost their 4 and 5. of the LCT who stated that While sympathising with them, Simpson was a good worker. He

## SHIPPING RULE DURING MAY

During May and October no

Bay and South Bay, '. This regulation shall not prevent launches, ferry vessels or motor bonts from approaching the shore for embarking or disembarking passengers, it was officially stated-yesterday, ---

# Policeman Accused

Hearing was resumed yes. terday at Central in the case McDougall of Jardine, Mathe-

Further evidence for the pro-At this stage. Dillon sald scription was given yesterday by

ing my plea to guilty in respect . Witness said that late on the of the chain and snare parts. I evening of March 31, he went to still maintain that I am not the China Fleet Club from where guilty of the receiving charge he proceeded to the White Horse | Cafe in Lockhart Road. He stay-

Outside the place he met Me-Police, accepted the change of Dougall, who appeared to be drunk, without his jucket on. He The engineer of the LCT, kept or eye on him and followed

was a European while the other These spare parts, valued at was the defendant. Defendant who in turn, after she had gone

Later at the China Fleet Club, watch and the wallet were miss-

The case was adjourned to May

## HK-SHANGHAI PHONE BUSY

Kong-Shanghai Radio-Telephone Service has been fully booked up for the next few days, the "China Mail" learned

resterday. Heavy bookings for calls from Hong Kong to Shanghai have been made since the Chineso Communist Army's crossing of the The service operates daily between 9 a.m. and 12 noon and

8,30 p.m. and 7 p.m. More than 100 applications are being received by the Telephone Company daily from members of the public for calls to Shanghai.

# Accused In Cement Case Acquitted

"The prosecutor has vary properly laid all the facts in his possession before the Court, and in the circumstances I refuse to accept the accused's plea of guilty, remarked Mr. Blair-Kerriat Kowloon yesterday when he discharged Chung Tak, aged 24, on a charge of obtaining credit by fraud.

Defendant was charged April 22 with obtaining 300 bags of cement by fraud. DSI Brown said that on April 15; defendant went to the Wing On Leung Construction Materials Dealer in Mongkok Road. The proprietor, Ne Chui, and his at | Brother, Ng Tow, do all the buy-

15, necusell liskell for 300 bage of cement for Ng Chul. The price of a hag was \$5,20. Accused told defendant that he would pay later; cuped down in that he sold the Accused gave his address as 15 coment for less than it was pur-Austin Road, first floor which had chased for, but accused tendered Sentenced

| Sentenced | Austin Road | Inst Hoor which and to Lo Hung immediately the bulk since proved to be false. Lo Hung to Lo Hung immediately the bulk since proved to be false. Lo Hung immediately the bulk since proved to be false. On bit the sale price; and expressed lived at 6. Battery Street. On bit the sale price; and expressed lived at 6. Battery Street on bit willingness to pay the balance defendable and the party went to an stop as possible.

| The complete station | The companion was sold at \$420 spiracy between the socused and walking along Don Voice Central

The main culprit, ' continued DSI Brawn, is Lo Hung who has now absconded. The prosecutor has very

properly taid all the facts in his possession before the Court, and in the circumstances fam refusing to accept the acoused's plen of guilty as those facts do not seem to disclose an offence. Acquied made it perfectly plain at the time of the purchase that he had no money to pay for the coment and the complainant gave him unlimited gradit. "Tho necused's selling, agent Chan You seems to have let ac-

Two alleged members of a bandit gang which had been terrorising two villages in the border between December 18 and 20 last year, work charged before the Ruisne Judge Mr. Justite: Williams) yesterday.

They were Wong Yee-cheung, aged 27, and Tang Yip alias Tang Kan-yip, aged, 29; and the charges against them were demanding with intent to steal two to three piculs of unhusked rice from Cheung Tung-kwai; and possession of short firearms.

Both denied the charge, and

The prosecution was conducted

by Mr. A. Hooton, Crown Counsel,

assisted by Mr. Charles Mottram.

Assistant Director of Criminal

Investigation, and by Detective Sub-Inspector R. Mackenzie.

that at about 4 p.m. on Decem-

per 18 Cheunk Wong, the village

guard of Chiu Kang Village, saw

house but was followed int-

mediately by the men, the majori-

at Tai Shek Wu.

ing "the guerllias".

The next day three members

of the gang went back to Chiu

Knng Village and handed a letter

to Cheung Wong, the village

guard, addressed to his uncle. The

letter demanded money for feed-

Cheung, thoroughly frightened

took the letter to his uncle.

Fortunately, said Crown counsel

police, and from then on acted

On the third day of their reign

Papers Found

In the other ambush at Tal

lager going up a hillside carrying

After evidence in support was

called by the prosecution, the

two accused gave evidence in

.The first accused, Wong Yee-

cheung, said he was a rice ex-

porter.. He had sold a quantity of

rice to a man named Lok who

was the leader of the gang. When

rice, he was forced to join the

gang. All the time he was acting

under coercion, and he denied he

had ever been armed with a pis-

The second accused, Tang, said

he was a police informer sent out

to help in effecting the arrest of

the gang which was alleged to have beaten up a policeman at

Shumshulpo and to have robbed villages in the New Territories.

He went with the gang to Tai

Shek Wu, but was recognised; by Lok, the lender of the gnng, ds a

their own defence.

reported the matter to

under police instruction.

Mr. Hoolon informed the Court

neither was legally represent-

## Shop-Keepers Fined

Fifteen shop-keepers work summoned before the Justices of the Peace court at Central, yesterday for breaches of Price Control regulations.

\$50 to \$200, for selling provisions, a group of eight or nine men apover the controlled price and for having no price tags.

They were Hop Shing, of 193, Ly of whom, including the two Ouren's Road, East, Lun Lee, of accased, were armed. 91, Hennessy Roud, Wo Sang, of Wong Yee-cheung, the first ac-Tsup Tseung Street, Tat Lee cused, who appeared to be the Heng, of 40, Queen's Road, East, spokesman, demanded from the Tak Yuen, situated at the pldg village guard two to three pleuls door of 312, Lockhart Road, Sun of rice. Cheung replied he did Yuen Cate, of 151, Main Street, not have this rice, whereupon he East, Man Sang, of 10, Queen's was urged to go to his uncle. to Road, East, Shun Fung Hong, of get the rice, He refused, but when 1B. Queen Victoria Street, Kee the men pressed their demand lie Heimg Yuen, of h5, Queen's Read, became frightened and left, say-Yuen Cheong of ing he would comply. 172. Hollywood Road.

Shing who, after a conversation with For over-charging. Cheong Provision Store, of 34, the armed men, asked Cheung to there. Shing We Road, ! hanghal Store, go back to the goard house. of 397, Lockhart Road and Chun Cheong, of 165, Hollywood Road were fined \$75, \$25 and \$50, reapectively.

S. Chang, of the Chuen Tai Company and Lau Cheung, of Cheing Loong Store were remanded for a week.

Mr. J. H. G. Pitman of the S. T. and I. Department prosecuted

## WOMAN FINED \$ 2,000

Judgment was given by Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yes- the villagers did their duty and terday in the case in which Yuen Siu, an unemployed 41 years old, was charged with possession of four packets of opium valued at of terror, two members of the

gang went back to Chiu Kang \$4,200. Finding defendant guilty, the Village and certain arrangements magistrate fined her \$2,000 or six were mide for a meeting. The months in default and ordered police then laid two ambushes at that the opium be confiscated. | the villages concerned. The case for the prosecution

was that on information received, Revenue Inspector Millington with a party of Chinese Revenue officers raided No. 20, Centre Street, his attempting to escape was shot and took possession of a few burial In the rear cubicle of the floor

opium concealed in a cavity be- other documents which appeared February 6, 1949 to Sister Amtween two halves of red bricks, to be accounts of the gang, in the broise at the hospital, and she Another packet was found hid- same handwriting as the letter den in a hollow portion of the demanding money. partition caused by the sliding door of the rear cubicle.

Two women, including defen- village and the furrounding urea, dant, were found on the floor at and among the people arrested the time of the raid. Defendant was Wong Yee-cheung, Before his' was arrested and subsequently arrest Wong was seen by a vil-

charged. Mr. A el Arculli, counsel for a pistot and returning emptythe defence, submitted that Mr. handed. This curious villager Millington's knowledge of Chi- later searched the spot and found nese, though good, still leaves a pistol which he hid in his garroom for misunderstanding. He der but which he later handed argued that, defendant's alleged over to the police. admissions after the arrest were | The second accused, Tang, the results of questions, put to managed to get away and was not her and were inadenissible, being arrested until some two and a in violation of the Judges' Rules. half months later, on March 8. Defendant giving her defence in He was later identified by the the witness box stated that she village guard, Cheung Wong, and was a visitor, having arrived at two other villagers. the premises from the country the day before the incident. This, she said, was corroborated by the deceased principal tenant's wife and Yuen Sze, the occupant of one of the bed spaces on the

younger brother and his wife occupied the rear cubicle. This was he went to collect money for the corroborated. Both these people, she said, have not been seen or heard (off since her arrest. She denied having made the olleged admissions that she was the owner of the oplum found, - and that she was the occupier of the rear cubicle.

## Case Of Allen Registration

After another successful ad- From then on he was forced by mission vesterday by Mr. the gank to carry a gua and to FRI. Griffiths ion behalf, of Samuel | borrow money under threat from Wirt High, of Harrisburg, the villages, After he was arrest-Pennsylvania, USA, Mr. d'Al- ed the police refund to recognise mada at Central yesterday his identify is one of their indismissed the charge of failing to report to the immigra-tion Authority, within 48 hours

after his arrival.
High was, originally charged with falling to furnish particu-lars to the Registrar of Aliens, to report to the immigration Aureport change of address.

frawn by Inspector Innex at the carried, Griffiths made a submission say- for trips and excursions abbuild ing that defendant and never sature; themselves that there are

## HMS Bolfast Leaves Colony For Woosung

HMS Belfast left Hong Kong for Woosung at 2 pim. on Tuesday, it was officially stated yesterday. Bellait is due to arrive off the Varigist this morning. Belfast was ordered to Woosling by Vice-Admiral C. C. Madden, Flag Officer, Second - In - Comhibfid, Fat Enst Stullon. Admital Madach will transfer from HMS Lon-

## Forgery Alleged In Cemetery **Burial Papers**

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Hearing begen yesterday at Central on the alleged forgery of a burial certificate by Clementino Maria Almario, aged Peninsula Hatel on Tuesday. 68, sexton of the Roman Catholie Cemetery at Happy Valley.

woman, was charged with aiding and abetting Almarlo in the Both defendants were represent-

ed by Mr. A. el Arculli. secution. Detective Inspector Saul D.C Van Tol. G. L. Smith, J. P. said that about three years ago, Father Grampa, in charge of the Roman Catholic cemetery, Happy Valley, became suspicious that Quiside he met another villager non-Catholica were being buried

As a preventive measure, the The gang, said Mr. Haoton, Father introduced a system whereby printed forms would be kept then went to another village. at St. Paul's Hospital and at the Tal Shok Wu, where they took Italian Convent, Caine Road, over the guard house and threathe event of a death tened the guard that he would occurring at either of the above be shot if he reported to the police. The gang spent the night institutions, forms would be filled in by a priest or a sister.

Only For Catholics

The printed forms were, Inspector Saul continued, addressed to the Inspector of Cemetery and are only for deceased Catholics. These forms would then be taken to the undertaker by the signee or his or her representafive. The undertaker would in turn hand it to the sexton of the

Cemetery before the funeral. The sexton would then enter particulars on the form in the Register of deaths, kept at the Cometery office, and also in his own loose record sheet. All these would be checked by Father Grampa at the end of each month and if he was satisfied the forms

were then burnt. Inspector Saul said that on February 10, 1945, Father Feroldi At Chiu Kang, one of the gang | acting on information, went to walked into the ambush and on the sexton's office at the Cemetery and died from his wounds the forms apparently signed by Sisfollowing morning. On him were, ter Ambroise of St. Paul's Hos- ing on his way back to America they found three packets of raw found a number of letters and pital. He took one form dated by way of Europe, stated that the signature was not On the day in question, she said, she was III in bed. She Shek Wu, the police searched the then gave Father Feroldi a blank

form bearing her specimen signathere was a difference in paper and colour between the form used p.m. by Sister Ambroise and alleged forged one.

Corroborative evidence was given by Sister Ambroise at yes- to 5 p.m. torday's hearing.

## CONTRABAND CARGO SEIZED

A considerable amount of contraband cargo was seized by the Revenue Department yesterday. the ss. Changte just before she passes through Switzerland on his left for Japan. The goods were return from the Empire conference not on the ship's manifest.

HK\$175,000.

Miss E.B. Cheek, Messrs, T.E. Pegg, G. Anniss, M. Bevan, Jug-lish-Ral and Antonio Papa arrived in the Colony yesterday from Singapore and Hangkok by

Messrs. Roy Farrell, Adriane Go and Edgarde Ong Lim Hong left for Manila yesterday by CPA.

prrived in London "for a Conference which opened on Tuesday. They include an Indo-Chinese. who is studying in Paris, and three Chinese students studying urchitecture . in England. Chinese are Mr. Li Sian,

Mr. and Mrs. A.W.T. Wei, Dr. and Mrs. A. Mohr, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. C.W. the Fanling Bables' Home is not Simmle, Mr. and Mrs. G. Drum- just an orphanage, but is actually mend, Messrs, C. J. B. Thery, B. a home, Miss Mildred E. Dibden, Michell, W. Black, P.F. Newman, founder of the Home, is not only A.W. Hamilton Brown, R.T. W in name, but also in fact "mother" Mul. F. Fordes, C. Harvey, B.B. to the children, he added, Harner, and S.G. Kinng, were among the cepartures from the

J.S. Webb, Merers, D.A. Evans, greeted. E.L. Robinson, J.D. Morton, Opening the case for the pro- S E. Sturgeon, M.H. Reveler, Winslow, and A. Lyman.

> Wierink, Mrs. M.A. de Roo Van dren which is thus free of rent. Alderwerelt, Miss J.H.M. de Roo Van Alderwerelt, Mr. J. Calvet de Magalhaes, Dr. T.A. Cippleb, the Rev. Mr. A.M. Tangeraas and

The forthcoming wedding of Victor de Oliveira Matos, clerk, Nguu Chi Wan, and Angola Marla Remedios, 25 Austla Avenue, hás l been announced.

on leave by way of Europe. Mr. Charles Pewing Public

Relations Consultant Korean Government, arrived here vesterday by v. Pan American place from Shenghai.

Judge George Malcolm, well-known figure in Philippine Islands and elsewhere, arrived in Hong Kong yesterday by a Pan American plane from Manila.

or five days here before continu-

## Book Keeping Examination

Prosecuting counsel stated that lege, on the following dates:-

Candidates who have entered.

India's Prime Minister. Pandit Some 172 bundles of general Nehro, will be given a state recepmerchandise were found on board tion in the Swiss capital when he in London, the Swiss Government The goods were valued at unnounced yesterday.-Ansociated

# Work Of Fanling Home Told

"We hope that some of the children of the Fanling Bebies Home will some day respond to the call for Christian teachers and nurses for their own country—the great land of China to strick tried and torn asunder by strife and

The foregoing was said by Four prelitectural students Mr. Hugh Braga, Chairman of overcrowed, Dr. Lechmere Clift, the Field Advisory Committee international delegates who have of the Fanling Bables' Home, in a speech at its annual meeting held at St. Andrew's Church yesterday.

He said. "It is our fervent prayer that the Home may contribute, in a small measure, to the sprending of the gospel of peace which can be obtained through our Lord and | Saviour Jesus Christ."

Continuing, Mr. Braga said that Happy Faces

This is the secret, he added, why every visitor to the Home is received with a spontaneous Margaret Tee, 51, married Among the new arrivals at the | welcome by every child and all Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday were | who have been there have remark-Mr. and Mrs. S G Smith, Mrs. ed on the cheerful happy faces R. Gleichlus, Captem and Mrs. with which they have been

> Explaining the finances of the Bables' Home Mr. Bruga said "Our biggest single source of income is from China's Children Fund. This great American or-Arrivals from Canton by the gantsation, which exists solely for ss. Fatshan' Yesterddy included the purpose of caring for orphans. Mr. A G. Belcher, the Reverend not only supports nearly half of Mr. Wm. T. Blackstone, Mr. Jas. the total number of children in A Herring, Miss Dora Dykstra, the Home but also owns the pro-Dr. Wm. C. Wallace, Mr. J.J. perty which now houses the chil-

> > "The method of support by China's Children Fund is intoresting. The organisation finds someone, or a group persons, who is willing to support a child. Direct contact is made with an orphanage and the apontor knows the actual child for whom he provides. In the case of the Faniling Bables' Home 58 of the children are supported in this way through China's Children Fund."

The Chairman emphasised that Miss Dibtien made no appeals for funds for the Home. are grateful to all those who the the children".

## Older Children

Mr. Bruga said that they are hoping to begin shortly on proparing certain buildings for older children. "As the Home has been threttoning for nearly 13 years" he added, "It is time for these children to be separated from the bables.....

"We trust that by next year schooling for the older ones will be possible under better conditions than we are able to give them now." Relating the story as to how

he Home was founded. Braga said that as nobody felt competent to undertake the job of taking care of unwanted pal ordinance of 1922. Chinese babies, Miss Mildred Dibden who had lived in Hong Kong answered the call.

She returned to Hong Kong from England to open a Babies Home on November 11 1936 The Home occupied a flat at the rear of Catherine Building and as the number of bubies increased complaints were received from the residents in the vicinity. In fact if any baby in the tocality cried, the newly founded Home was invariably blamed for it.

President of the Home, and his wife offered the use of their lovely cottage in Cheung Chow. Here, singlé-handed, Miss, Dibden earried on the noble work, After many vicissitudes, the Home was moved to its present location at Fanhing in 1940.

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They are now in the Home 121 children, 24 of whom were admitted during 1948.

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## Money Talks Anywhere

One passenger who urrived in Hong Kong from paid six gold bars for a

equivalent to HK\$2,400. n seut.

out Ordinance 1949 was passed into law yesterday by

Other bills enacted yesterday

An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law relating to An Ordinance to amend the

An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the President in Hong Kong of the China Penicl Missiontry Society.

The object of the amendment la to extend the number o lodges that may be admitted and to bring into the Corporation the representatives of these other lodges.

The motion moved by Mr. D. F. Landale and seconded by Mr. T.N. Chau, was carried unanimously.

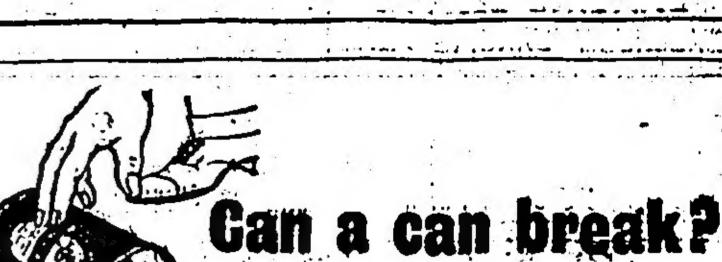


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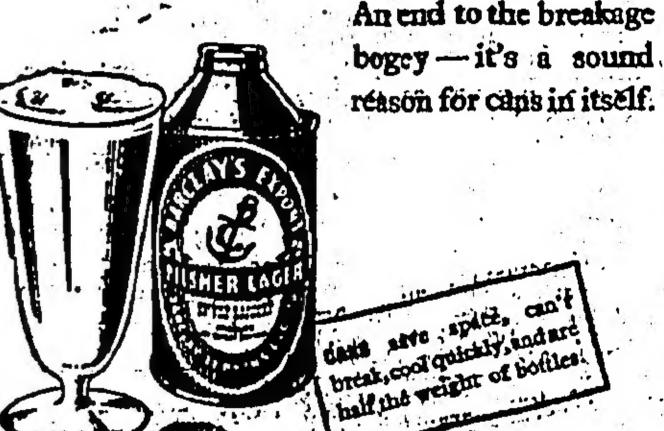
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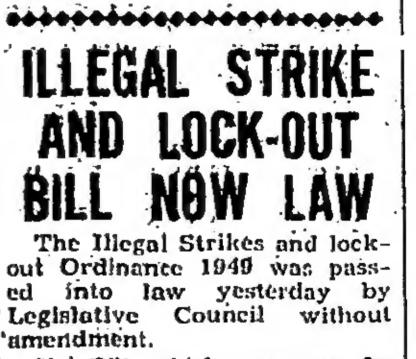
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## As usual in China-as anywhere else in the world -money talks.

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He said yesterday at Kal Tak that if he did not have the gold bars he would not have got a seat. He had been told that the plane was fully booked. Production of the six gold bars, however, found film



Legislative Council without 'amendment. The Bill, which came up for have given, either in money or first reading a fortnight ago, bans in kind, towards the support of strikes and lock-outs motivated by political objectives.

the District Watch Force.

Stamp Ordinance 1914.

An Ordinance to authorise the making of by-laws by the North Point Wharves Limited. Un for first reading was the Zetland Hall Trustees Incorporation (Amendment) Ordinance 1949, which amends the princi-

Mr. C. Blaker was sworn in as a member of Council yesterday. as deting member for the Hong Kong General Chamber of Contmerce in place of Mr. P.S. Cassidy on leave.

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derions who accept Multafloos

T. Y Wu and Mr. Z G Hst.

Mrs. Fenny G. Taugernas.

Mr. B.J. Taibot, Northwest Airlines Manager for Manila, arrived here yesterday from Manila. Mr. Talbot is proceeding home

Judge Malcolm will spend four

The London Chamber of Commerce Book Keeping Examination will be held at St. Joseph's Col-Higher Stage: May 5; 2 to 5

Certificate Stage: May 10; 2 to Elementary Stage: May 12: 3

The case will be continued to for the examination may apply to the Education Office for their ad-

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Details.—As from May 1949, the fixed red light on the Western extremity of Ma Wan Island will be replaced by an unwatched and unclassified red flashing light, the characteristics of which are half second flash, two and a half seconds eclipse. visibility, is six miles.

Remarks.-The light is exhibited from a grey painted pillar with a white hut at the foot. The height of the light the Company:above H.W. is 50 feet.

Charts affected,-3632, 3026,

Authority.—Director of

N. GARLAND,

Acting Director of Marine.

Marine Office. Hong Kong, April 28, 1949.

## NOTICE NO. 13 OF 1949.

MERCHANT SHIPPING ORDINANCE NO. 10 OF 1899. TABLE E. REGULATION 49.

During the months of May to October inclusive, launch, ferry vessel or motor boat shall lie or anchor or be under way in Repulse Bay, including those parts of the bay known as Middle Bay and South Bay, to the northward or eastward of a line drawn from the most easterly point of the island west of Repulse Bay (known as Tung Po Chau Island or Middle Island) to the red buoy moored off the foreshore of Repulse Bay and thence to the western extremity of the point dividing South Bay from West Bay (known as Chung Am Wan) in the immediate vicinity of which are two small islands.

This regulation shall not provent launches, ferry vessels or motor boats from approaching the shore for such time as may be required for embarking or disembarking passengers as expeditiously as possible.

N. GARLAND, Acting Director of Marine.

Marine Office, Hong Kong, April 26, 1949.

## MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTICE NO 14 OF 1949.

PRIVATE YACHTS & OTHER VESSELS USED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSES OF PLEASURE

Owners of private yachts and other vessels used solely for the purposes of pleasure should at all times ensure that they have on board efficient life saving applicances for the total number of persons car-

The general public are advised that persons who accept invitations for trips and excursions should satisfy themselves that there are sufficient lifesaving applicances on board the vessel, and they should clearly understand that when embarking in a vessel for the purpose of pleasure they are doing so at their own risk.

> N. GARLAND, Acting Director of Marine.

Marine Office, Hong Kong, April 26, 1949.

## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry & CO., LTD. Forms for the 5th Race Meeting to be held on Saturday 7th May, 1949, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building: the Club House, Happy Valley; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock Noon on Thursday, 28th April,

> By Order, D. L. PROPHET, Acig. Secretary.

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### THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

an EXTRAORDINARY GENE-RAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Friday, the 20th day of May, 1949, at Noon for the purpose of considering and, it thought fit, passing the following Resolution as a Special Resolution: --

"Each Director of the Company shall be paid out of the funds of the Company remuneration for his services at the rate of \$2,500,00 per annum and such further sums as the Company in General Meeting | 1949. |may from time to time deter-

By Order of the Board of Directors.

. G. B. S. THOMSON, Secretary.

Hong Kong, April 26, 1949.

## THE SHANGHAI & HONGKEW WHARF CO., LTD.

incorporated under the Companies Ordinances, Hong Kong.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at No. 27, Chung Shan Road, E.1, Shanghai, on Friday, May 20, 1949, at 4 p.m., for the following purposes:-

To receive and consider the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1948, to declare a final dividend, to elect Directors and Auditors and to transact any other ordinary business of the Company.

The Transfer Books and Share Register will be closed from May 9 to 20, 1949, both

the offices of the General Agents in Shanghai up to, bút not later than forty eight (48). hours before the Meeting.

Directors,

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD., General Agents.

Shanghai, April 22, 1949. 28th April, 1949.

## SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD:

the Statement of Accounts, to

BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 29th APRIL to 20th MAY, both days inclusive.

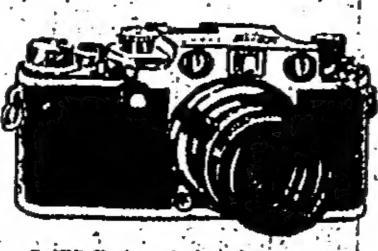
> By Order of the Board, A. W. HUGHES,

Hong Kong, April 20, 1949.

## NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that I am as from May 1, 1949 resigning from the management of Messrs. U. SPALINGER

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Kong, Merchant, de-

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has by virtue o Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance, 1897 made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above Estate to the 12th day of May, 1949.

All creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send in their claims to the undersigned on or before that

Dated the 20th day of April,

BRUTTON & CO.,

Solicitors for the Administrator of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased,

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Auctioneers, Surveyers and Appraisers, Pedder Building. Telephone No. 20224.

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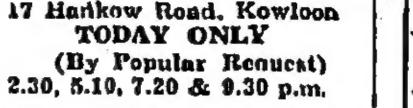
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15 3 C Pass Pass Pass 5 C Pass

Pass As the bidding went, South felt that East would make his 3-No Trumps easily, probably nerable). with one or more extra tricks. which would give him a fine

By Dick Turner

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BCARING THE TIMID IF YOU ARE timld and scare- matter, South also knew East as able, and if your opponents have a timid soul, who considered his learned that about you, they are partner a better player than pretty likely to take advantage himself. East had bid No Trumps of their knowledge to victimise only once and had supported you. One old gag tried by West's clubs on his own second imaginative competitors agains' turn. So it occurred to South such players is the double of a that a double of the 3-No Trumps contract which they feel sure might make East escape into you can make profitably, in the clubs, a contract in which extra hope that they will make you ricks probably would be out of flee into a different one which is the question since North had not so good for you. The thing enough strength for an overcall. to do then is stick by your guns,

S A J 8 G 3 D 10 8 6 4 3 N SKQ5 WEDK CAKQ CJ 1084 H 10 8 6 5

DQJ92 C 7 5 (Dealer: West. East-West vul-

nerable). 1 NT Pass

score in the mrtch-point tourna-

Besides his feelings about the

The double worked like a unless you have plenty of doubt charin. It did senre East into about the situation in which you fleeing to 5-Clubs. The contract -found yourself before the dou- got made, with the loss of two tricks to North's aces, but extras were out of the question. Most other East-West pairs played the deal at 3-No Trumps and all made one or two extra tricks, which this East also could have made, without exercising any skill at all.

Tomorrow's Problem

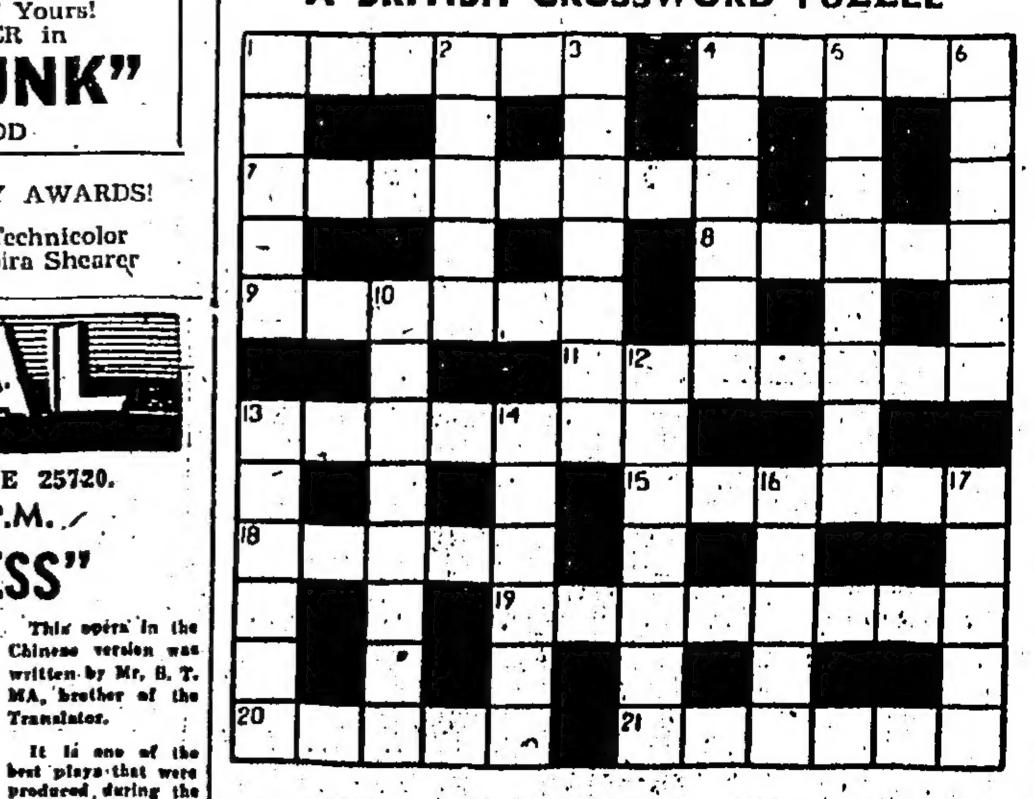
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D 8 6

If West blds 1-Diamond, North 1-Heart East 1-No' Trump. ment. That would of course South 2-Hearts and West 3-No mean a bad score for North and Trumps, what logic should tell South the right lead?

## A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



15 Summary. 4 Liberated. 18 Aroma. .7 Complete. .19 Enjoyed. 5 Dominion. 20 Sinck

Yesterday's Crossword ACROSS 1 Sack, 4 Destard, 8

10 Instituation. 12 Interfered. 2 Lash. 13 Slaye. 3 Stammer. 14 False. 16 Enthusiasm. 17 Royal line.

Eyed, 9 Pair, 10 Bounder, 11 Near, Debar, 5 Adored; 6 Tango.

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May 6, 1949.

have a maximum draft of 3' while carrying a load of 36 tons deadweight. The successful tenderer will be required to deposit with the Treasury, Prince's Building, the sum of \$3,000

for each vessel hired, against

These vessels are flat bot-

tomed, dumb barges, 52' in

length, 18' in breadth, and

loss or serious damage. Tenderers must attach to each tender a deposit receipt, posited with the Treasury. Prince's Building, the sum of \$500, as a pledge of the bona fides of their tenders, which sum shall be forfeited to the Hong Kong Government by any successful tenderer, failing or refusing to implement his

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returned to unsuccessful ten-Forms of tender, further particulars and the conditions of hire may be obtained from the Superintendent Engineer,

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS Notice is hereby given that ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the Head Office of the Society, Union Building. Hongkong, on Friday, 20th May, 1949, at 11.30 a.m., to receive the Directors' Report and

declare a dividend and to transact the ordinary business of the Society. The SHARE TRANSFER

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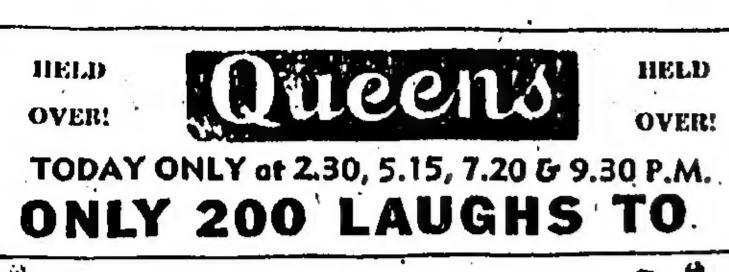
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## Independence For Libya Demanded

Lake Success, April 27. in a prese statement, Man-Kaddara, Secretary-General of the National Council for the Liberation of Libya, demanded full independence for all Libya.

He said: "We will resist with all the means at our disposal any settlement which does not recognife the unity of our country and our sacred rights to a free, peaceful and dignified life.

"An Independent Libya is indeed the only solution which would conform to the principles of the charter of the United Nations and the provisions of the Italian peace treaty." - Associated Press.

## Prisoners' Anti-Bao Outburst

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Salgon, April 26. The noise of shouting and singong heard from outside the Saigon Central Prison today, is un derstood to be a demonstration by Victininh (the Indochlnese autonomy movement) political prisoners against the return to Indochina of the ex-Emperor of Annam, Bao Dal.

Bno is to head the new Victnam State, envisaged in his March 8 agreement with the French Government.

The demonstration insted two

A delegation headed by General Nguyen Van Xuan, head of the Provisional Central Government of Vietnam, left Saigon today for Singapore to meet Bao

Bao Dai left Cannes by air on Sunday for Indochina, where he is expected to become head of the warships sail down the Suez new State of Vietnam. The delegation will accompany him to stand aside and see dollars given to Italy used in crushing resis-Dalat, in Southern Annam.

The delegation include M. Tran Van Huu, President of the Provisional Government of South Vietnam, and M. Huy Phien Hai, President of the Territorial Assembly of Cochin-China, which recently voted for Cochin-China's inclusion in Vietnam.-Reuter.

## MAKING WILLS HER HOBBY

Edinburgh; April 26. Incomplete or unsigned wills were found after the death of Miss Annie Moon, of Fifeshire. Seotland, in 1945, the Court of Session here was told today, She left £51,000,

Miss Moon, described as a lady with a hobby of making wills, was found by the Court to have made a valid will in 1941-

AT.

2.30, 5.30

7.30 & 9.30

P.M.

Lake Success, April 27. Britain is reported to be ready to seek separate United Nations action on Cyronaica if the General · Assembly is unable at its present session to docide on the disposition of Italy's pre-war colonies.

A British spokesman told reporters that there still appears to be no agreement on a solution to the problem as a whole, and a postponement until the session in the Autumn may be the only course open.

UN trusteeship system under clated Press.

British administration. Other former colonies involved in the debate before the Assembly's 'Political Committee are Italian Somaliland, Eritren and other parts of Libya, Tripolitania

and Fezzan. Eric Louw of South Africa sold it had been shown in the debate that some countries want to "punish the new Italy: for the

Sold he: "This is a spirit of vengeance not in accord with the spirit of the United Nations." He called for a quick settlement of the problem, saying; "The effect on the colonies and on Italy Itself may be very ser-

## Syrian Warning

South Africa favoured giving Sthiopia an outlet to the Red Sen through Eritren and trusteeships for Britain in Cyrenaica, France in the Fezzan and Italy in Tripolitania and Somaliland. He said there was in a large measure, agreement on the disposal of all the colonies except Tripolitania and Eritrea, 6

Rafik Asha, the Syrian dele gate, opposed the return of any colonies to Italy, conbe too heavy and the cost too! great for Italy to bear. He maintained that the inhabi- Geneva. ants are unanimous in one thing

they fear a return to Italian

The Syrian said: "We have heard representatives of the people say they will resist a return to Italy. Do you think the Arabs will stand by while Italian Canal? Will the United States

He said, however, that Britain | "All Asia is awake: They would still hopes to get action now on say imperialism is not dead. You the United States proposal that would start struggles the end of Cyrennien be placed under a which none could see."-Asso-

## TRADES **UNION'S**

The International Committee the Trades Union Congress met today to draft a policy of for approval by the General Council of the eight millionstrong movement tomorrow.

The long-term objective of this policy will be a new international trade union organisation in opposition to the now Communistled World Federation of Trade Unions,

The American Federation ... Labour, which has e-usistently and powerfully advocated a new organisation without delay, understood to have suggested that a linison committee, bringing together trade union movements from many parts of the world, facturers, might be formed in June when tending that the burden would delegates from many countries will attend the International Labour Office Conference in

> This committee, it is suggested, might prepare for world conference to take place later in the year. It seems doubtful, however, whether the policy to be formally adopted by the TUC tomorrow will be as far-reaching as this.

The discussions at the trade union conferences since January United States .- Associated Press. suggest that rank and file backing for a new world organisation will be granted.—Reuter.

Tokyo, April 27. On the eve of Emperor Hirohito's birthday, General MacArthur's Headquarters today published an analysis of Japanese magazine articles which shows that Japan's once god-like ruler is getting the worst press since the surrender.

Hirohito, who will be 48 on Friday, is becoming a target for increased criticism by both left and right wing intellectuals, the survey shows.

Japanese writers, university professors and scientists are advocating everything from outright abolition of the emperor system to the Emperor's abdication for his war responsibility as the best means of saving the imperial institution.

The SCAP publication analysis said: "Many of the attacks on the Emperor and the imperial Institution come from known Communist sources, but the advocates of abdication are by no means limited to the Communists. On the other hand, few pro-Emperor writers appear in print."

The analysis attributes the ar- veneration. ticles as reaction to the Tokyo - Meanwhile, the Imperial Housewar crimes verdicts and the hold Ministry pushed plans for execution of Hideki Tolo and a Japanwide "popularity" tour six of his co-defendants.

and the emperor system, how- United Press.

ever, does not offer concrete shift in popular sentiment, which in general has been favourable.

## Grave Mistake

. Akira Nakamura, chairman of the Hosei University law department, in a magazine article states that failure of the International Military Tribunal to touch on the Emperor's war responsibility was a grave mistake.

A Tokyo University professor. Kazue Watan, writes that he hopes Hirohito himself will take the initiative in abolishing the emperor system and thus make himself the true object of national

by the Emperor in mid-May It added that openly ex- which, the Communists say, is a

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8.00 p.m.-World News and News Analyals, (London Relay) 8.15 p.m .- "Landmarks of Britain"-Carnaryon Castle" by E Morgan Humphreys, (BBCT8).

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future internationni co-operation 11.00 p.m.-Radia News Reel, (Landon 11,16 p.m.—Weather Report

# DUMPING OF

Patterson, New Jersey,

A campaign to have Congress place an embargo on Japanese woven sliks, rayons and labels has been launched by a Committee of New Jorsey textile manu-

The campaign is part of an effort to eliminate what they describe as the rulnous competition forced upon American industry by the military occupation government in Japan.

A Committee spokesman said six months more of the occupation Government's practices in dumping millions of yards of woven Japanese textiles on the American market will bring about an almost complete collapse of the textile industry in the

## RUSSIAN WHEAT FOR INDIA

New Delhi, April 26. Russia will supply India with 200,000 tons of wheat and 20,000 tons of corn under the third Indo-Russian trade agreement signed on March 31, In exchange, India will send Russia 20,000 tons of raw jute and 7,000 tons of tea.

The first agreement was signed between the two countries last July and the second in February. Reuter.

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Amid scenes marked by contrasts between old and new, rich and poor, formal and informal, the Maharaja of Jaipur was sworn in as Rajpramukh (equivalent to Governor) of the new United State of Rajasthan, at Jaipur. Photo shows Sarder Vallabhbhal Patel in his simple white robe swearing in the Maharajah of Jaipur as head of the United State of

## REDS' PLANS FOR GERMANY EASTERN

Berlin, April 26.

claims will be dropped by Rus-

sin as soon as the new East Ger-

In face of these reports, the

recourse if Russia fails to secure

Four Power agreement on a cen-

The official Boviet news

The agreement that Russia wil

2. Establishment of a unified

3. The signing of a peace

4. Withdrawal of all occupa-

tion troops some time after the

the conclusion of the treaty.-

man state is created.

questions.

German state.

United Press.

treaty with Germany.

Germany.

Russia is reported to be working for the formation of a separate state in Eastern Germany, a sharp reversal of the Soviet insistence on a "United Germany."

Usually well-informed quarters say Moscow has promised German Communist leaders a peace treaty for Eastern Germany. Under this plan, all reparations

## FINANCING SUM LOWERED

Washington, April 26. President Truman told Congress today that reductions in prices will make it possible to finance the Marshall Aid Programme with a sum \$157,800,000 less than Congress had authorised.

of the Big Four Foreign Minis-The President was making a formal request to Congress to ters. appropriate speedily the sum of \$5,272,200,000 for the Economic Recovery Administration for use until June 30, 1950.

The President said that a number of developments have made it possible to operate the programmo for less than the amount authoris- attempt to obtain at any Big ed, the most important being the price decline in the United to cover the following points: States .-- Reuter.

Rajasthan. AP Photo.

# Embassy

Major changes due are:

The Counsellor, Edouard Goldstukker, is to become Czech Am- ing. bassador to Inrael.

The Press Attache, Favel Kavan, is to become Counsellor in M. Goldstokker's place, Dr. Kratochvil has already informed the Foreign Secretary, Ernest Bevin, that he is going to India. The name of his successor has been submitted to the British Government, but so for there is no clue as to whom German Communists themselves it is.

are continuing their - propaganda campaign for the establishment of a central German Governleave for Israel next month. ment, but Allied observers see is expected to consolidate nothing contradictory in this aheady good Czech-Israeli relations,-Associated Press. stand. They believe that the Eastern state will be a "face saving"

# tral government at the meeting KANG

agency, Tass, said that the Berlin blockade could be lifted If a date is set for the Foreign Ministers meeting on German Four meeting is expected here 1. Abandonment of the Western plans to establish a West

Band insurgents attacked the Central government for all of Wetlet police station and seized arms and ammunition.



# POSSIBILITY OF LIFTING THE BERLIN BLOCKADE

## Three-Power Commission For Germany

Wathington, April 26. A three-power Allied High Commission will be the cupreme Ailled agency of control of Western Germany when the new West Garman Government, whose basic law (Constitution) was agreed by the Western Allies and the German leaders, comes into

. This is provided in the text published today of the agreement, elgned here on April 8, by Mr. Ernest Bevin. Mr. Dean Acheson and M.

Robert Schuman. The agreement also provides for the fusion of the British, the United States and the French Occupation Zones before the entry into force of the "occupation statute" defining the powers to be retained by the Allies when the new German Federal Government takes over .--Reuter.

## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Reshuffle In London

London, April 27. the Czechoslovak Embassy informants reported yesterday.

Rangoon, April 26. members of the insurgent White February 15, Band People's Volunteer Organleation were killed and 50 injured | conducted by the Ambassador at by Government troops in a clash large, Mr. Philip Jessup, for the at Wetlet, a railway town in the United States and Mr. J. A. Shwebo district, North of Manda- Malik, Russian representative

The communique said 300 White

The communique claimed that heavy casualties were inflicted on the Karens at Kaiku, 78 miles North of Rangoon, where fierce fighting is in progress.—Reuter.

# May Accept Russians' Offer

Washington, April 27. Western powers today virtually accepted Russia's public proposal to lift the blockade of Borlin in exchange for a four-power conference on Germany.

But it was made plain that the offer is accepted only if no secret strings are attached.

A U.S. State Department statement declared that if Moscow's policy stands as it was reported in a despatch by the Tess (Russian) news agency early today, the way appears clear for a lifting of the blockade and a meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers.

Soviet offer was expressed by today that high Soviet 'officials two veterans of the history-mak-Conein Lucius D. Clay, Ameri- are confident that the Berlin ing missions which obliterated can Military Governor and Am- blockude and the Allied counter- Hiroshima and Nagasaki, one Air bassador Robert D. Murphy, head blockade will be lifted in the Force source said. of the German-Austrian divi- very near future, sion in the State Department.

swing German opinion nway from Moscow at the Soviet Head- Division based in England could lifted it will have no effect made whatsoever on the West German Piess and Reuter. government.

"We are going ahead with our plans", he said.

A big reshuffle in the staff of The 1,000 word State Departin ment report on the situation was London is imminent, diplomatic issued here as a direct result of the Tass report. The Tass article said in substance that if a date can be agreed on by Russia and the The Ambassador, Dr. D. Krato- West for a meeting of the Big shell, is being transferred to Four Council of Foreign Ministers, then reciprocal restrictions on communications and trade could be lifted before the meet-

### Major Concession

This appears to be a misjor concession by the Kremtin. Previously the Bussians had insisted on prior settlement of outstanding currency issues Berlin.

they had taken the position that know their destinations. The n Foreign Ministers' meeting Consul-General, Tong Lao, said M. Goldstukker probably will should be held more or less the ships might call at Yokohama. He simultaneously with the lifting

the of the blockade.-The Western powers have long ment at Norfolk, Virginia. They tuken the position that they are were here a fortright awaiting willing to discuss any German orders.—Associated Press Issue with the Soviets-after the lifting of the blockade.

On the basis of developments, it is not possible to state flatly that the Tass report sets forth all the conditions which the Russian Government might ask of the American, British and French A Burmese Government com- Governments in negotiations munitate said tonight that 40 which have been under way since

> These negotiations have been the U.N. Security Council.

## **British Caution**

At Lake Success, a British spokesmant said today that there is a possibility of a Foreign Ministers' meeting on Germany in the not too distant future, but it is wrong to assume that such Vietminh guerillas out of Nama meeting is just around the dinh, Tongking, Agence France corner, he added.

ports of exchanges between the months that guerilles had entered States, through their repre- cover of mortar fire. exchanged at all.

to be in close touch with the tion among foreign military Mr. Murphy said the Russian Soviet Military Administration observers as to how quickly and move seem to be an effort to said that an order was received how effectively the U.S. Third Air from the proposed German Re- quarters at Karlshorst today that swing into atomic action. public. General Clay said that all technical preparations for It was learned the group's 30 even if the Russian blockade is lifting the blockade should be planes would not come equipped

# Chinese Warships

Penri Harbour, April 27. Two Chinese warships, originally bound for Shanghai, sailed from this U.S. naval base yesterday-their final destinations unknown even to their commanders. Before leaving, the vessels, the destroyer escorts Tal Chou and Tai Hu, loaded ammunition at the

naval munitions depot. American officer and an unspecifled number of U.S. navy enlisted men, who had been aboard in an advisory enpacity, stayed behind. Chinese commanders H. P. Lin On some occasions, at least, and S. A. Kinng said they do not

The two vessels are the last of four given the Chinese Govern-

## WAR MURDER OF RAF MAN

Hamburg, April 37. A British High Court in Hamburg today sentenced an Austrian. Max Josef Moser, aged 32, five years' imprisonment for killing British dirman at Tanzeldorf, a prisoner-of-war camp in Austria on Mdrch 7, 1942.

The President of the Court said the lowest penalty "had been imposed as the accused had been shown to be not mentally fully responsible. Moser was acquitted of killing another British airman and of wounding an Air Force sergeant Reuter:

## FRENCH SUCCESS

Paris; April 27. French tank umits have driven Presso reported today from Hanoi. Commenting on the Tass re- it was the fire time for several Soviet Union and the United the town. They ald, so under the

sentatives, at the United Na. The French counter-attack was tions, the aphkesman of the hampered by mines sown by British delegation said that Vietminh advance parties the the talks are still in the agency said: Namdinh is the third "fealer" stage and no docu- largest town in Tongking. It has ments of any kind have Been important weaving and spinning

Paris, April 27.

## mills.—Reuter. "Peace Congress" To Fight U.S. Policy

The Communist-dominated World Peace Congress yesterday launched a new world-wide committee to fight American policy in the name of peace.

proved a resolution setting up a adopted by the parent congress in permanent organisation along Paris. Cominform 'lines' to carry on a The manifesto summed up six propaganda war against "actions days of speaches by delegates those which "infringe on nutional fridependence."

In the lexicon of the congress, the Atlantic Pact and the Trumiss Detrine menace peace, and the Edropean Recovery Pro-gramme violates national independence. An accompanying manifesto de-

notifieed the present conflicts in Indochina, Indonesta, Malaya and

At their closing session, the 2,- | gue fair ground after delegates 000 delegates unanimously apid approved the manifesto for peace"

nations. ... Speakers " attacked "American imperialist war mongers," praises the Soviet Union and Marshal Stalin as the leader of a peace movement, and attacked the Atlantic Pact and other Western alliances. The resolution said: "We pro-

ctalin we have maintained free minds and that propagation has The manifesto called for op-Greece; but bmitted any reference position to all military alliances to China.

Which render the UN charter in the distriction of atomic atom had made clear, was a reference | lional control for atomic energy to the powers which signed the devoted to peaceful ends, and Atlantic Pact. Meanwhile the Prigue peace films, persons and organisations meeting chief yesterday with a which disseminate propagands for public demonstration at the Pras I the New War, - Associated Press.

London, April 27. It was disclosed today that the first American Superfortress group with knowledge of atomic bombing would arrive in England next Saturday and put the United States in a position to drop an atom bomb anywhere in Europe on short notice.

Air Force officers revealed that the famous 509th atom bort group would fly to this base for training with its specially-equipped and specially-trained crows.

Included in the 509th's highly-In Perlin, wariness about the | In Berlin, German sources said trained personnel will be at least

Disclosure of the 509th's im-German politicions who claim pending arrival increased speculd-

immediately.—Associated | with the special racks needed for carrying atom bombs, but the Air Force source said it would take only five and one-half hours to instal racks once the planes are

Some foreign military observers bolleved the U.S. Air Force also had the makings of atom bombs in England, but others thought it more likely the bombs were kent in the U.S .- United Press.

## RED PROPHESY

Moscow, April 27. Reports are appearing in the Soviet press that a coup d'etat may take place in Beirut similar

to the one in Syrla. The Soviet press is making no comment on the subject, although it has intimated that the British were behind the recent events in Damascus.-Associated Press.

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# MOMENTOUS DECISIONS ON FUTURE SHAPE OF COMMONWEALTH

## Channel Tunnel Idea Revived

London, April 26. Members of Parliament from six countries, meeting In Paris, have decided unanimously to press Britain and France for a re-examination of the question of a tunnel to connect Britain with the continent.

Mr. Michael Clark Hall, an official of the international Road Federation, who made the announcement at a news conference here on his return from Paris, added that the realization of the tunnel pro-Ject is now within sight for the first time in 460 years. -Reuter.

## CHINESE DEAD WAR RETURN

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Yokohama, April 26, The remains of 11 Chinese- equality. American veterans of World War I II will go board the American President Liner General Gordon cept the suzeralnty of the Kingon Friday for return to their will regard the King as "the finel gesting places in still wartorn China.

Escorted by an American army officer, two enlisted men and a WAC enlisted woman, the flagdraped caskets will be taken to next of kin in Shanghai, Hong Kong, Canton and other Chinese cities unless the tide of war bars their entry,

The bodies of these Chinese-American veterans of various World War II theatres had been Yokohama.

The Eighth Army quarterwill be the first mission of its require 60 days.

The escort of honour includes gennt (1st Class) Una L. Parker, solution of India's problem might Sergeant (1st Class) John A. have for the other new Dominions Balog and WAC Private (1st -Pakistan and Ceylon-which Class) Everett W. Gleaves .- have yet to frame their Consti-United Press .- United Press.

Mr. Hughes asked if the Prime

Minister is aware that "racial

discrimination has become so bad

vative, intervened to say that it

had been constantly laid down by

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SPECIAL PROPHECY

ADDRESS:

EUROPE"

According to Bible

Prophecy will it be

The FATE

London, April 26. Momentous decisions enabling the future Republican India to remain in the Commonwealth as an equal partner with the other members were taken by the Dominion Prime Ministers in a secret session here late tonight.

The decisions will inaugurate a new era in Commonwealth relations.

Following this morning's two-hour meeting of the leaders, quarters close to several of the Commonwealth delegations said that there was a rapid approach to an agreement on a joint declaration proclaiming a free and equal association of all the member nations, including Republican India.

The leaders tonight gave final | South Africa has also a special shape to a document which is interest in the issue. The Nationexpected to solve the unique filtst Party, in power, thinks it constitutional problem with which consistent for a Commonwealth to they have been grappling for five contain both Republics and King-

The solution proposed by the ing the desire of all the members, including India, to continue their

association in the Commonwealth, The declaration is believed to place on record India's decision to become a sovereign, independent Republic and her desire to\continue her own membership of the Commonwealth on a basis of

It is suggested that Indiawhich, as a Republic, cannot acsymbol of free association" in the Commonwealth.

but, at the same time, to ac-Crown Link

The declaration, on which the The statesmen are dining with statesmen have already been the Prime Minister, Mr. Clement final acceptance.

master section said today this had to balance the question of at 8,45 p.m. GMT. any change in the basis of the kind ever carried out in the Far Commonwealth association with East Command. The trip will the deep attachment of the older Dominions to the Crown link. They had also to bear in mind Major George F. McGinn, Ser- the special algnificance which a

Colour Bar Issue

Raised In House

The Prime Minister, Mr. Clament Attlee, rejected

a suggestion by Mr. Emrys Hughes, Labour,

in the House of Commons today that he should

discuss with the Dominion Prime Ministers

during their visit to London the question of

All Commonwealth quarters say leaders is described as unspecta- that the talks have been conductcular but real. It is understood ed throughout in an atmosphere to consist of a declaration affirm- of the ! greatest cordiality and inutual help(ulness,

> The desire of all the Domin. long to bring the conference to A successful conclusion is evid-

The Prime Ministers attended two official functions in their honour before kneeting tonight for what is expected to be the Mr. Walter Fletcher, Conservative MP, today called last phase of their secret talks.

## **Yital Conference**

They were the guests of honour In a letter in the "Times," Mr. Fletcher wrote: "It in the decigration, the Com- at a Parliamentary reception monwealth nations other than given by the Speaker of the House India are expected to reaffirm of Commons, Colonel Chilton their allegiance to the Crown, Brown, at his official residence in the Palace of Westininister. The cept India as a full and equal function was attended by many member of the Commonwealth. Members of the Government, Opposition lenders and other distinguished Parliamentary figures,

working almost continuously for Attice, and leading British Ministhe past two days, anny be modi- terr at his official residence, No. temporarily collected in the Unit- tied in dotail foctore it obtains 10, Downing Street, and are expected to move straight from the The Dominion statesmen, in dining room to the conference their search for a solution, have table for their meeting, to start

> The Prime Ministers have arranged to have a further meeting tomorrow morning, and It is gossible that any decisions which may be taken tonight will not be known until then .- Reuter.

## VOTE ON RUSSIAN WIVES

Lake Success, April 26. There were 11 abstentions when the General Assembly of the United Nations, by 30 votes to six, called upon Soviet Russia to withdraw its measures preventing Russian wives from joining their husbands abroad.

The USSR was also asked to report its action to the General Assembly but M. Semyon K. Tsarapkin, the Soviet representative, made it clear that his country could not give serious censideration to such a "Judicrous proposal,"

Ten Asiatic countries abstained from the vote. The other country to abstain was South Africa-which, just at present, is

Turkey and Ethiopia were ab-

The debate brought out that Soviet Russin is refusing exit visas to 1,000 Russian wives of United States, British, French or Canadian soldiers or representa- laya, including Singapore and the When Mr. Sydney Silverman, tives, and that 65 Soviet husbands Labour, asked if it would be in and 350 Soviet wives of United ad new capital, economic treaties order to put down a question States citizens are being refused and arrangements affecting the

The Soviet and Polish repre- per consideration for Malayan inions, the Speaker said these were sentatives hit back hard at the terests, claims settled and the and not those which separate us-United States, Britain and Chile police reinforced. -sponsors of the resolution-and painted the "barbarie" conditions that exist in some of those countries so far as women are concerned.—Router.

## Czech Consul Flees To West

Vienna, April 27. Dedrich Pokorny, First Consul of the Czechoslovakian Legation ister for that. Questions must be devoted to matters for which Ministers are responsibile."—ReuMinisters are responsibile."—Reusaid yesterday.

MP PROTESTS

U.S. ACTION

He said: "The Marshall Plan helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the value of the dollars. The external helped to bridge the gap in the provided a spificient stimulus to terms of Western European currences. The following provided a spificient stimulus to the first were dothed by western European to the special were used to provide a monstary fund of gold and dology against the reliant of the first which could be used for provided a monstary fund of gold and dology against the reliant of the first which could be used only for goods from America.

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Ten years ago, there was 1 "But above all real unity is Headquarters, Malaya, heads the little racial feeling, he said, but needed, and is rightly advocated list of awards for ser, ice with by communal leaders, "Today's delicate balance in "This unity will not be achiev-

Refugees from Shanghal—an amah and a small boy-drop off to sleep on a bench at Kal

The Malaya Federation

Tak after a plane trip from the Northern city. " ("China Mail" photo).

for the inclusion of Singapore in the Malayan

will not be long before the Chinese in Malaya,

who already feel that under the Federation the

scale has been tipped unfairly against them, be-

federation.

now it runs high.

Malays, fearing that their new

political power is no final

answer to their problems, call in

the new Malay power of the

Netherlands East Indies to re-

iress the balance of the old in

Declaring that the economic

situation is disquicting, Mr. Flet-

cher says: "Singapore, the great

entrepot of the Far East, is under

triple attack. Continued chaos in

the Netherlands East Indies

means that that region may sud-

denly be cut off as a market, as

pore through direct arrangements

with the Netherlands East Indies

and other Far Eastern countries.

War Damage

been concluded without, I believe,

any consultation with the local

Mr. Fletcher also emphasised

that unfair competition, mainly

Dutch, which diverted gold dol-

financial insecurity of Malaya is

accompanied by the gradual

migration to the mainland of

some of its six or seven hun-

"The Federation would then

have to deal with another dis-

contented and potentially danger-

Unity Needed

consequent inflow of vitally need-

area should be preceded by pro-

"To assure a truly united Ma-

dred thousand Chinese.

"Singapore's decline will be

due to the fallure to settle war

authorities."

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ous element.

has happened recently.

the Federation." Mr. Fletchor

come the senior partners."

MP Wants Singapore

London, April 26.

Malaya is therefore liable to vio- ed until Singapore is within the 1948, approved by the King and lent upsets, particularly if the Federation and there is a single, simplified administration and control."—Reuter.

## Labour Opposition lo Leopold

Brussels, April 26. Belgium's Social-controlled Federation of Labour decided today to call a general strike if exiled King Leopold returns to the "The Supreme Command of the

Allied Force (Japan) has also Allied Force (Japan) has also The Federation's National Com- at the Kuala Lumpur Station ir shown a desire to bypass Singa- mittee voted this decision as the July, 1948. Socialist Prime Minister, M. Paul Henri Spank, was on his way back from talks in Berne with the

between the United Kingdom and will of Parliament will be coun-Holland, acting for the Nether-"tered by a general strike," the patches are still to be published. . Committee resolved.

About 2,500,000 of the country's working population belong to the Federation. Observers here say that if King Leopold tries to return, the Socialists might join the Comlars from the Empire, and the munists in a wave of strikes.-

## SFORZA IN PARIS

Paris, April 26. The French Foreign Minister, Robert Schuman, today workers." received Count Carlo Sforza, Italian Foreign Minister, at the Archbishop-who is the senior French Foreign Office. Sforza is passing through France Czechoslovakia—as a man. of:

on his way home from signing working class origins who has the Atlantic Pact in Washington, always been known as the work-Count Sforza told the press: "We himself is not in Prague.-Renhad a full and friendly exchange ter. of views on colonial problems, on the constitution of the council of Europe, which will be discussed in London by the Big Three, also on all the problems uniting us

# because there are none."-Reuter. Neaknesses" Marshall Plan

London, April 23. Addressing the Conference of European Liberal Parties in London today, the Swedish delegate, Professor Bertil Ohlin, leader of the Folkepartist and a Member of the Riksdag, said he sees some weaknesses in the Marshall Plan.



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discrimination against coloured peoples. When asked if he would do | Speakers of the House of Comthis, he replied briefly: No, air." mons that no question could asked reflecting on the policy of a Dominions Government.

London, April 26.

Mr. Scolland, Labour, suggested that it is in order to bring up in South Africa. ... " Here Lord any question covering British the principle of "internal juris-

The Speaker, Colonel Douglas Clifton Brown, said: "A selfgoverning Dominion is responsible to itself and not to this House.

Lord Winterton is correct. One should not criticise the Government of a Dominion." about the protection of the rights exit permission. of British subjects in the Domin-

writing before I can give an answer, but I should think not." Mr. William Gallacher, Communist, said there is a young clergyman in Britain who had been imprisoned in South Af. rica because of his association

which I should like to see in

with coloured people. Was it not in order to ask the Prime Minister to raise the matter at the Dominions' Conference? The Speaker: "There is no responsibility of the Prime Min-

## AWARDS London, April 26, Acting Group Captain John Mortimer Warfield, Senior Ali Staff Officer at Advanced Ah the Royal Air Force in Malaya from June 1 to November 30.

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announced today, He has been elevated to the Commander Class of the Order of the British Empire, which he received in 1946. Other awards are:

Order of the British Empire, Officer Class: Wing Commander Henry Neil George Wheeler. DSO, DFC, Commander of the Royal Air Force Station at Kuala Lumpur; Squadron Leader Allan George Hammond, in charge of administration of the Kuala Lumpur Station.

Distinguished Flying Cross: Flying Officer Ian Maurice Pedder, who has completed some 250 hours' flying since he arrived

British Empire Medal . (Miliitary Division); Flight Sergeant Edward Clark; Flight Sergeant exiled King and his brother, the Stephen Charles Leppard; Flight Regent. Prince Charles. "Finally; an economic treaty to return contrary to law and the McWalters." Sergeant John

A further 33 Mentions-in-Des-

### ARCHBISHOP'S DENIAL Prague, April 26. A spokesman for Dr. Josef

Berar, Archbishop of Prague, today denied a report that in a message to his flock recently the Archbishop expressed the bellet that he would shortly be denounced as "an enemy of the

The spokesman described the Count Roman Cutholic churchman in After meeting M. Schuman, ers' friend. The Archbishop.

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## REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT

It has taken a very long Young's scheme for a muni- who do come within their juriscipal council was sent to diction. London two and a half years ago, and it has still not been possible to have a full dress reactions.

In anticipation of this, the of the big city have to offer, senior Unofficial member, Mr. D. F. Landale, in Legislative Council yesterday gave notice of a basically different alternative motion: scrapping the Young proposals, and instead modifying the Legislative Council to have an Official membership of nine, including the Governor, and 11 Unofficial members "consisting partly of members elected by qualified residents of British nationality and partly of members nominated by the Governor. The Governor to have an original and casting vote and the usual reserve power."

This new plan, which has the support of all the Unofficials, will not be brought forward for six weeks, in order to give the public an opportunity of stating their views, these to be presented to Whitehall as soon as possible.

Mr. Landale was right Young proposals the best means of giving them a fullshare in the management of their own affairs, and that a much more effective means of achieving this object - is fundamental modification of the constitution of the Legislative Council.

It is most probable that vocal groups such as the two Reform Clubs will agree with the principle of Mr. Landale's plan, but whether they will accept as ideal the skeleton details he supplies is quite another matter. If we read correctly, when the Governor's casting vote considered, the Unofficials would be in a majority of one, provided they were all able to attend meetings. It would only require one to be absent for at least a theoreti- institutions and private agencies. cal stalemate in voting to occur—assuming that the unnamed number of nominated members dared to go against authority. If it is intended to have a majority of Unofficials, why leave them such a small margin? To able on those lines, they should outnumber the Officials by about 50 per cent.

Also, as we have implied. nominated members should under the Italian Republic. be sufficiently few to avoid swamping elected representatives of the people, otherwise | mentioned previously. They are the whole thing becomes a the special preserve of the Minisfarce, and even a token degree of self-government will again be denied the people who have waited for it for

so long. let it be tabled.

# HOW THE WEST CAN HIT BACK COME

# Rescuing Italy's Problem Children

By ROBERT SHEARER

Railway stations, shopping tof detention is a little more than centres and hotels in all big 7,000. Italian cities are still todayfour years after the end- of World War 11-infested with youths snatching a living as best they can from the unsuspecting tourist. "Shoeshiners" they used to be

Today the name has gone, but the problem remains. No official throughout the country," he says, Government source in Rome will which shall contain observation boys who are living, one might rooms and courthouses. Each main say, beyond Society, but that there city will have a centre for detime for the Unofficial mem- to people who know such cities as bers of the Hong Kong Gov- Milan, Naples, Turin and Genoa. ernment to make any Apart from this mysterious material proposals regarding marginal fringe which probably the colony's hopes for demo- runs into many thousands, both where a detention ward may be cratic reorganisation of the strained to the limit to deal with ruling body. Sir Mark the waifs, strays and delinquents

The most recent police raids, for example, carried out on the streets: of Rome drew in 6,000 children' debate here on Whitehall's parents or had left home of their own accord to see what the lights

Police authorities could offer not here. comparable figure for other mam cities but admitted the total must be in the thousands. A fair peras soon as it is learned they have appears at first sight to centre rules against an all-in wrestler. been picked up by the police.

land, Sweden and the United considerable.

These foreign societies are the best known of which is some 60 miles North of Rome near Civitavecchia.

They are doing an immense budget. amount of good work embracing in all several thousands homeless boys who are being taught a trade in pottery making, carpentry, mechanics or shoe-making under the guidance of competent masters, For this group there is at least

hope of a worthwhile future. self-government, they are taught doing what it can in certain count. when he stated that it has that loyalty is better than guile, spheres to match the contributions become increasingly evident honesty than theft, work than of aid from United Nations asked in considering any com- the Cominform want, as a minithat the citizens of Hong idleness, tolerance than violence, sources. Kong do not consider the liberty than licence, no mean er and more responsible misery were aggravated by crisis Yugoslavia third. and the roar of the guns.

under the supervision of the Gov- to level off at all. ernment in private institutions.

Allowing for departures during something is certainly being done the year, for those who return to alleviate present misery. The home or find a job, the Ministry vast majority of the poor, looks after 15,000 to 18,000 child- vagahond or homeless children are

ren every year. The Government provides funds sort of social framework. for this work as do many private sociotics. The whole structure is well-meaning but lacks organisation. The problem of the moment is one of feeding and clothing the child rather than studying his | educational requirements, which in any case will never be dealt with in anything but piecemeal fashion as long as one central Government control is lacking to co-ordinate the policy of villages,

A Long Road

Italian welfare is at the beginning of a very long road. The food in the Government homes is not bad and at least a couple of janitora to whom I spoke in one place said. "Qui si mangia meglio che fuori," meaning "You eat make the thing at all work- here better than you do outside," which in some cases is probably

> solid meals a day, which is more than can be said for every adult The wayward and socially dangerous boys are a class entirely apart from those that have been

The inmates have a couple of

try of Justice. The number for all Italy now being held in houses

If anyone thinks this is most eager must remember state to act as protecting power going too far along the that this is a colony, in diffi- to watch over those living in utopian road of freedom, it | cult times, and that even a such areas. is pointed out that Mr. Lan- step forward towards selfdale suggests the Governor government is much to be cult task will undoubtedly be retains "the usual reserve desired. The Landale pro- for protecting civilians. It is power." This of course posals, if adopted wholly or also the most important for manmeans that if elected mem- partly, will mean another kind in keneral since in their bers tried, by virtue of their long wait while brains in the case conflict between what is majority, to impose on the Colonial Office ponder the morally right and militarily excolony something, shall we matter anew. Nevertheless, acute acute. the Governor may on his forward by responsible own authority reject the sources, and provided certain zones should be marked out in Britain has always taken a leadentire scheme and refuse to modifications art made in it, which aged, mothers and children ing part inc promoting wherethere is no reason why the could take refuge and the right ever possible this benealcent hu-This may not sound demo- public should not support it, to good treatment would be ac- manitarian alm.

Doctor Quido Colucci in th guilding spirit of the Government recently finished a year's study of of the cold war? welfare work in England and is with a planned programme of Communism. Are we to crouch Churches may need the aid of wagon. building and organization which behind them and disown all propaganda machinery and Govshall handle the problem here of responsibility for what happens ernment backing to make their Northward through the peninsula. Juvenile delinquency in harmony to the unfortunates left on the voices heard,

"We intend to have 22 centres will be dealt with from start to finish, extending over years perhaps, in one institution and but one alone. Not as happens today in one city, while its associate reformatory or observation centre

is in another." Doctor Colucci's programme will plenty of building labour and material for such a project, but when a Government is struggling who had been abandoned by their to balance its budget, it is often notoriously hard of hearing when the cry is raised for public spend- changing diplomatic notes

Church Institutions

All in all, apart from the the full glare of the footlights. centage of these boys are taken unclassified boys referred to at home immediately by their parents the outset. Italy's youth problem by trying to use Queensberry around 25,000 or 30,000 people. institutions run under the sup- work being done by the Church ly that the Atlantic Pact and of inspiration and hope so that ervision of the Ministry of the in concert with the United Western Union are not instru-Interior, or are farmed out to Nations Board for juvenile as ments of aggression. On the conprivate charitable organisations statute that the picture begins trary, they are aimed at keeping supported by funds from Switzer- to broaden out into something the peace.

from Rimini on the Adrianc defensive in the cold war, Recoast to Leghorn on the West and taking in the islands of Sicily and already running eight boys' vill- Sardinia there are more than ages in various parts of Italy, 4.000 church institutions supporting boys and girls, who are either homeless or can only partly be provided for from the family

Of such . children the United Nations organisation here assists this year about 980,000. There are 325,000 children of pre-school age alone, ages four, five and six, who are being fed by this agency. Clothing and shoes must be

They are taught the lessons of more. The Italian Government is

Italy requires more children's achievement with boys who have ald this year from international known little but the atmosphere of funds than any other European the war years, when poverty and country. Poland stands second and

The great problem of your The Ministry of the Interior | reconstruction in Italy has many cares for another 10,000 to 12,000. | dark aspects. Lack of family In any day of the year there are housing is a dreadful difficulty and always that number of homeless a constantly souring birthrate boys and girls who are living never gives the problem a chance

Still, it is being tackled and being brought up within some

## Protecting Civilians Britain with 56 other nations

tic Conference on the Red Cross Convention at Geneva might be used. recently. The task before the conference is to discuss linternational code of conduct during wartime and frame four conventions for protection of human rights of both civilians and combatants in warfare.

will be revisions of the agree- effective. ments already in existence. The fourth will be entirely new. It ing words and ruthless deeds, is designed to give civilians the the men in the Kremlin are not same measure of protection having it all their own way, even during war already accorded to behind the Iron Curtain, wounded soldiers and prisoners. Another innovation is that these three things the peasants of conventions are to be made Eastern Europe hold most dear: binding due to civil war or any their religion, their country, and outbreak of hostilities taking their land, It is on these three form ol a undeclared war.

Nations who sign them will alsa be required to accord similar protection to inhabitants of any territory occupied during cratic. It isn't, but even the hostilities. They will be under obligation to request a neutral

'The Conference's most diffi-

# By R. BROOMAN-WHITE

Softening-up

The religious issue is, perhaps,

when we were countering the

And why should the bulletins

not include advice on the print-

ing of clandestine leaflets, and

dictation speed? If that leads

The religious question is the

fundamental challenge of Com-

fensive in the material sphere.

process, aimed at cutting off the

they may feel too uprooted and

broken in spirit to offer any re-

It is Communist policy to in-

dustrialise Eastern Europe. That

means fewer men on the farms.

And yet, according to Mr.

tinued export of tractors and

agricultural equipment to the

this trade, regardless of the fact

of Eastern European peoples is

another point to be considered.

tradition of resistance to op-

pressors-Turks, Czars, Haps-

burgs. But patriots in those coun-

tries who may be prepared to

risk their lives by acting against

voices from the West saying we

Growing Hardships

And it would add weight to

what we say if we could point to

the growing economic hardships

of the nations outside the Wes-

tern Bloc, and to advantages

ready at hand for those who will

Action on these or similar

If we really mean what we

say in our diplomatic protests,

let us keep our mouths shut lest

It might

wish them well.

They have behind them a long

blood of Balkan peasants.

sistance to Communist plans.

the broadcasts will stop."

infamies of the Nazis.

The cold war develops-and vague yearnings for democracy,

this time on Western Initiative. that their struggle for freedom are of significance, although dif- will be based. fering in kind, were the signing | It is up to us to give them any of the Atlantic Pact early this support and encouragement that month, and the diplomatic pro- we can in that struggle-certest by the Governments of Bri- tainly as much as the Soviets collar, tain, the United States and the give to the Communist Parties Dominions against the violation who are seeking to undermine by the Soviet satellites in Eas- freedom elsewhere. tern Europe of the human rights clauses in the peace treaties.

What connection, if any, is in this particular branch. He has there between these two aspects

one for the Churches rather than We are building barriers for Governments to handle. But, against the further spread of in present circumstances, the may soon be aboard the band-

been our policy, we would not known behind the Iron Curtain post office is first past the post now it formally censuring Bul- the world-wide protests of all (with no need of photofinish) garia, liungary and Rumania sects and creeds against the arrest when it comes to crowd control for their secret police, persecu- and sentence of Cardinal Minds- and putting pickpockets out of tion of the Church, gagging of zently? are many is a matter of experience linquent children, whose problems the Press, murder of political There have been broadcasts, it opponents, and other totalitarian is true, but with nothing like the vigour and point that were used! abominations.

## Retaliate

But we must face the fact the such protests, alone, are unlikely suitable items for them, read at to abate by one turn of the screw take years to realise. There is the pressure that the Communists to protests from satellite Governare now putting on the satellite! peoples.

The ordinary rules of international conduct no longer apply under the Peace Treaties, and There is little realism in exing and that may be the difficulty carrying on bureaucratic arguments at the back of the stage munism. But the present drive while the Berlin blockade and against the Churches in Eastern guerilla war in Greece are in Europe is also part of the preparation for a more ruthless of-

We are hundleapping ourselves What more, then, can we do? It has been stressed repeated-

But that does not mean we South of a line drawn roughly need remain torpidly on the taliation is not aggression.

them to feed. The Communists are doing everything in their power undermine Western democracy; and abetting all this by the conanything we can do to weaken the Communist grip on satellite countries will, in the long run, be a safeguard, not that it may be paid for-in the

What nonsense it is, for example, for Mr. Harold Wilson to proclaim in the House of Commons that our trade relations with the Communist area must be guiden by economic. conprovided for hundreds of thousands | siderations | alone - presumably | leaving the cold war out of ac-

> Surely the first question to be is whether or not directly or indirectly, the deal would aid Communist plans for the economic and military development of the country concerned. Almost invariably, it would; otherwise they would not be negotiating with us. In such circumstances, should refuse to trade.

## Hamper Them

dely the Kremlin and join us. We might go further. Rather than assist, the industrial lines would give us a chance to velopment of the satellite powers, help the peoples of Eastern should we not hamper it-at any Europe to regain the liberties rate until they mend their ways now denied to them. about the non-observance of the even, in the long run, contribute Peace Treaties? talk reasonable terms.

We could stop sending capital equipment to Eastern Europe. We could refuse to ease their financial troubles as we do at If we are not prepared to do so, present by buying supplies which they are desperately anxious to we'be justly accused of hypo-

We could seek by commercial menns to deny them access to vital materials they need to import. The records of the Ministry is taking part in the Diploma- of Economic Warfare are rich in examples of techniques which

No great risk would be involved. Even a blockade is not today counted as an act of war; we have learned that in Berlin. Such measures would be no more aggressive than the Communistinspired strikes against the Marshall Plan in France and Italy; Three of the four conventions but they might well be more

In spite of all their threaten-

Communism is striking at the loyalties, rather than on any

corded to civilians in general as is recognised to be right of combatants who are hounded or captured. Taking of hostages, torture, deportation and punishment without proper trial will be outlawed when this new convention

The Governments which become signatories will be expected to introduce a special legislation to make it effective. This would mean that those who break its provisions could be apprehended, brought to trial and punished.

The general aim of the Red Cross is to alleviate cruelties of It is proposed that security war. During its 85 years of work



Mum's the word, says one of our adverts. Same slogan prevalla in Government circles.

Francisco Franco, now banned,

The Jockey Club could take a lot of the handleap out of col-For instance, has everything lecting dividereds if it took a Obviously not. If that had possible been done to make look at local stamp counters. The

> Dictating to his typist, So pretty, neat and prim, Ho little thought that one

She would dictate to him. No matter how much she may

ments, the answer is simple- be the apple of Uncle Sam's eye, "restore the freedom of your Aussles refuse to look on Japan Press, as you are pledged to do as a "most favoured nation."

Bees are not as busy as we think they are. They just can't buzz any slower,

"Half the victims of atom bombs can be saved by blood It is a deliberate act of psychological warfare a softening-up transfusions" says an American surgeon general. If you're within a half mile of the burst of inspiration and hope, so that you cannot of course be counted as a victim.

Defeated Germans are now sald to have a higher standard of and more factory workers for living than the victorious Rus-

It is better to Harold Wilson, we are aiding than martial.

satellites. We are still permitting Millenium

When all the earth is molten, And all of the seas are steam, We shall have the "peace of the The strong nationalist feeling atom".... At present it's just a dream,

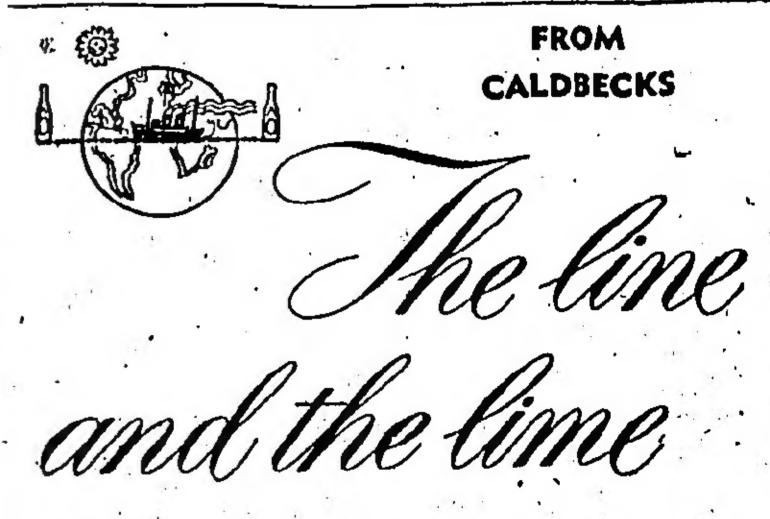
> Every new mother always asks me this question: "How can I keep my baby's kin in most perfect condition?" You got any airtight systems?

Our local inventor is working on a four-foot toothbrush affair designed specially for cleaning the grillwork on those new American cars.

Allowing for the traffic lights. "The chase went on for three nilles at speeds varying between O and 60 mph."

"Shoe trade. Wanted-good revolutionary pressman." -Would the editor of "Pravda" towards bringing the Soviets to do?

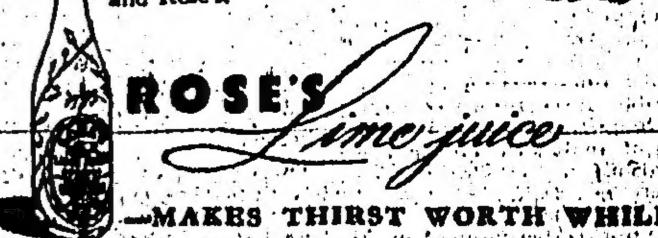
> Question: "How many English words end in "sede?" Answer: Only one-superside. Next question.



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sighs of satisfaction. Two or three of these and the most dehydrated man feels human once again, ready for shorter drinks - and naturally Gin and Rose's.



# COMMONS DISCLOSURE ON YANGTSE AFFAIR

Reds Wanted Amethyst To Aid In River Crossing CHURCHILL'S BARRAGE

London, April 26. The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee disclosed in Parliament today that the Chinese Communists had been prepared to allow the British sloop Amethyst to get to Nanking on condition that she assisted them to cross the Yangtse River.

'Such a condition was obviously unacceptable," Mr. Attlee commented amid laughter,

These facts, he said, were given by Mr. Edward Youde, Third Secretary of the British Foreign Service, who volunteered to try to reach the Communist forces in the hope of stopping the firing on the British warships.

reached the forward headquar- said with some asperlty: "The other properly constituted auters of the People's Liberation Army in the Pukow area on April 23, thanks to his courage and determination.

"He described the atuation as he knew it when he left Nunking on April 21 and pointed out to them the peaceful and humanitarion nature of the intesion of Amethyst and tequested that she be allowed to proceed to Nonking or Shaughat without further molestation."

Mr Attlee addeds "Their headquarters took too line that clearance had not been obtained from the People's Liberation Army and that she had enlered the war

"They also complained of heavy casualties membed by their troops, as a result of fire from Bertien shore. They refused to admir a to to toleration of selfdefence

## Fartastic Charges

Mr. Wanshes Churchill, leader of the Opposition, wanted to know how it was that "at this time we have not got in Chinarwaters one. if not two anceast carriers capable of affording protection to our nationals who might be increasingly involved in peril and mis- British ships trying to rescue the | Mr. Churchill declared that "whofortune and capable of affording sloop Amethyst," . . . . . that protection in the only way which is understood by those at- most severely during the rescue tacking, murdering and insulting bid and was holed repeatedly in us, namely, by the effective her hull and upper works, he

power of retaliation?" Mr. Churchill, speaking in strong emotional terms, asked this question after Mr. Attlee had told a packed House about the shelling of British warships on the

Yangise recently. Mr. Churchill speak was the Yangtse, Chinese Ambassador to London.

Dr. Chang Tlen-hat. Mr. Attice said that with the position still fluid, Britain reserves her position on the Chinese Communist shelling, with heavy casualties, of four British warships in the Yangtse. He dismissed Communist charges that

the warships were directly par-

ticipating in the civil war as "fantastic and unfounded." Mr. Churchill followed up his question by asking for an assuronce that the British Government would face this matter in a robust spirit and make sure that the

British flag is respected. To this Mr. Attlee replied that the situation is still fluid. However, the Government will make a statement later.

## Not Warfare

Mr. Churchifl then added: "I would like to make it absolutely clear that whatever criticisms we may make on what I might call the unfortunate handling of a difficult situation, this in no way detrnets from our resentment at the atroclous outrage of which we have been the victims or our determination to press the Government to take effective steps to Mr. George Bernard Shaw, the ther. Syrian, Lebanese and Egypt. make sure that we are treated world-famous dramatist and play-, lan delegations have now arrivwith respect in future."

In the subsequent barrage of allers residing permanently in the delegations are expected to arrive questions, Mr. Attlee said that Commonwoolth should, as guest early today. the Government wants to take citizens, have the rights of and The talks will open with a every possible step to protect Bri- the responsibilities of the meeting of the Commission and tish communities in China. This "matives." has to be borne in mind in dealing with the Yangtse incident. London Times, Mr. Shaw also stort will meet the Israeli delega-At one time no fewer than nine suggests that the application of tion, which is expected to be Opposition members rose simul- this principle in the case of Ire- headed by S. Sassoon, chief of the taneously to eatch the Speaker's eye for a chance to question the

Prime Minister. To one question Mr. Attee 70 have been spent in England answered: "I am quite well Router. aware that aircraft are used in warfare but this is not a matter of warfare at all. There is no suggestion of making an attack anywhere at all. We were en-

. He said that he could not Interior has ordered the arrest Israel frontier. the Vangtee behind the Com- Royal Air Force during the war territory. There can be no possible ques | power.

orders which sent the Brillsh Reuter.

tion. Lapprove his action, I sup- Government were under an obport his action. That does not ligation to notify her movement say that all the time the man on even had they been in a position the spot who knows the exact to do so. conditions should be receiving detailed orders from the Admiralty-there is no question of shel-

Questions about air cover and the Communists, then poised for the availability of aircraft followed and the Premier was understood to say, unid some disorder, that no British aircraft are: stationed at Shanghal.

servative, was saying that the and mud banks country could draw only one in-

Earlier, when he was speaking and field guns." about the Yangtse incident, Mr. Attlee said that there had been no question of a punitive expedition and the British ships fired only to silence the forces thring

against them. Mr. Attlee added: "British Consular officials in China vainly tried to get in touch with the Communists, both locally and in their North China capital of Pei- | fairs ping, to half the shelling of the

The crulser London suffered

## Clear 24 Hours

One of the many, diplomats Canton it is true that a warning them was announced in Parlia- ment for 24 hours. who heard both Mr. Attlee and was issued about warships in the ment. He thought it right that

"Nevertheless since that time | Nanking. ornment of China."

she was proceeding on her law- Reuter.

**GBS Plan For** 

Commonwealth

London, April 26.

Mr. Youde, Mr. Attlee said, tships up the Yangtse, Mr. Attlee | ful occasions and there was no Commander on the spot took ac- thority to whom the British

> Mr. Attlee further said that the sloop was sent up the Yangtse to Nanking to relieve the destroyer tering behind any commander on | Consort with a clear 24 hours to go before the explin of an ultimatum to the Government from

an attack across the River. The British ships were so extensively damaged because warships are not designed to operate in rivers against massed artiflery Brigadier Anthony Head, Con- and mantry sheltered by reeds

"The Communists forces appear ference from these answers when to have been concentrated in he was persistently interrupted considerable strength and are reby Labour cries of "The Tories ported as being lavishly equipped with howitzers, medium artillery

## 1945 Declaration

Mr. Attlee also told the House that Britain's attitude to the civil war was governed by the Moscow Declaration of 1945-when Britain, Russia and the United States announced a policy of non-intervention in China's internal af-

Taking up the Amethyst issue, ever was responsible managed to send this Ship up the River almost exactly at zero hour," To this Mr. Attlee answered: "The voyage would have been completed in 24 hours before zero

To an Opposition suggestion Reviewing the incident, Mr. to have withdrawn British na-Government decided to move to that the decision not to withdraw but did not seek medical treat- killed.

In the Yangtse have taken place Mr. Thomas Scollan, Labour, with the full knowledge and asked that the Government consent of the National Gov- should not be stampeded into "intervention in this civil war When Amethyst was fired on that might lead us into war."-

United States.

## Four Britions Still Missing

London, April 26. After the Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Atties, had announced in Parliament today that 12 British sallors are missing in the Yangtse River incident, the Admiralty gave the later information that only four men are now unaccounted for.

There is no reason to suppose that they are necessarily. dead, an Admiralty spokesman added,-Router.

## U.S. Navy Secretary Resigns

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Washington, April 26.
The United States Secretary of the Navy, Mr. John L. Sullivan, resigned today as a protest against the scrapping of the construction of the new 65,000-ton super nireraft carrier, the United States. A White House statement on Mr. Sullivan's resignation is un-

derstood to be in preparation. Mr. Sullivan is known to have submitted his resignation in a talk yesterday with President Tru-

Mr. Sullivan's resignation had been expected. It is based on his the time when the vessel was bebelief that the Navy is not being ing towed into Rio Harbour, after given proper consideration in the being refloated this morning from defence policy.

Last Saturday, Mr. Louis ed within sight of Rio. Johnson, Defence Secretary, gave orders to stop work on the \$189 | Reuter: "The Magdalenn's posimillion carrier.—Reuter.

Cairo, April 26. Syria today requested |Egypt, The Lebanon, Iraq and Transjordan to send back to Damascus a number of leading Syrian politicians to stand trial for alleged "abuses" under the regime recently overthrown by Colonel Husni Zaini, the Syrian Comman-

der-in-Chief.—Reuter.

# Liner Total Wreck On Maiden Voyage

Rio de Janeiro, April 26. The 17,500-ton Royal Mail liner, Magdalena, today broke in two and began to sink off Rio Harbour a motter of seconds after her crew had abandoned her.

She was homeward bound on her maiden voyage and was insured for £2,000,000. The passengers were taken off yesterday after she had run on

Official sources said all hopes equipped with air conditioning of saving the liner had been throughout her passenger accomabandoned. Crowds watching modation and public rooms. away about 200 yards from the her bows half submerged and

Wireless reports from a tug near her assistance.-Reuter. the Magdalona said the liner's bow is now half sunk and aground and the stern section, drifting towards the beach, is expected to sink shortly.

The crew of the Magdalena are reported to be safe. Her captain, Mr. D. R. Lee, of Rumsgate, and i four other persons, were earlier reported to be still on board the stricken vessel, but deft the ship

safely some time later. There was a heavy swell at n reef on which she had ground-

Earlier official sources told tion is extremely difficult."

## Big Insurance

in addition to the £2 million insurance on the vessel heramount to about £500,000.

in May last year at Belfast. She for the general population. was the first British vessel to be Admiralty Tells

# Story Of Heroes London, April 26.

Individual acts of heroism and devotion to duty by members of the crew of the British warships involved in last week's Yangtse river shelling were described in a statement here today by the Admiralty.

cruiser London, went for 24 56 hours. hours with only a temporary dressing before asking for medical treatment for a hole right through his shoulder.

His ship-mate, Marine Ro-

ton, holder of the Distinguished when final reports are available, and world trade." the movements of our warships Mr. Attlee did not reply when Service Cross, although suffering All had acted in the best tra- Among those welcoming the from dangerous and exceedingly ditions of the Royal Navy, it said, guests was Sir Thomas Lloyd, painful shrapnel wounds, refused -Reuter.

The Navigating Officer, Lieutenant P.E.C. Berger, although time the vessel moved.

A Marine, aged 21. Bernard to leave his ship until he was re-Maurice Howe, on board the lleved of his command after some

from Rio beaches saw the bows Later reports tonight said the of the ship break off and float Magdalena is a total wreck, with slowly drifting towards the shal-

The new luxury liner, badly | Radio calls brought Brazilian holed and shipping water, was maval craft and salvage tugs, the being towed brondside on into 6,131-ton Brazilian steamer, Gola Rio Harbour when her end came. Coide and several other craft to

## Hong Kong Haven Of Refuge

London, April 26. The British Government intend to maintain Hong Kong as a peaceful haven of refuge from oppression, as a great centre of trade and as a cultural and educational beacon, Mr. Davis Rees Williams, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, said today.

The colony, he said is the clearing house of commerce and the shop window of democracy self, subsidiary insurances on in the Far East. Despite its freight and other interests greatly increased population, it is still providing the highest stan-The Magdalena was launched thard of living in the Far East

Mr. Recs Williams was welconding the Hong Kong trade mission to the British Industries Fair at a reception at the Colonial

"The thoughts of all the world are now turned to China. There we see a great people in disorder, great cities in thacs: millions of mon, women and children homeless and in want," he said. "Against this background, we

find Hong Kong, a rock and a tiny piece of mainland, a haven of prosperity and peace." Mr. U. Tat-chee, replying to

Mr. Rees Williams' welcome, spoke of the wonderful welcome given last year by the British people to the Hong Kong Mit-

"This year promises to be even more encouraging. We have seriously wounded, ordered much to learn from Britain in that he should be carried to many fields. I am sure this close the bridge on a stretcher each contact with the mother country will help us to develop and susthat it would have been better bert McCarthy, aged 20, had a Surgeon Lieutenant J.M. Al- tain Hong Kong in these diffipiece of shrapnel the size of a derton attended the wounded cult times. We have received Attlee said, "When the Chinese tionals earlier, Mr. Attlee said large cork embedded in his neck under fire until he himself was much assistance from Government. We know that support The statement added that we can give now will not only The First Lieutenant on board more cases of bravery and de- help to develop Hong Kong but they should have remained in Amethyst Lleutenant G.L. Wes- votion to duty would emerge render great service to China

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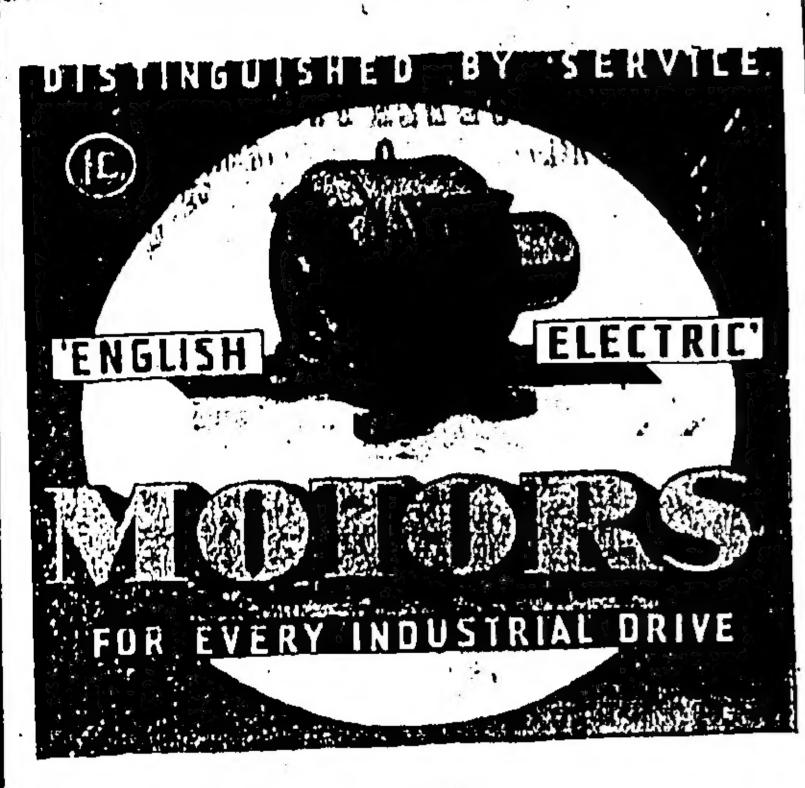


## Arabs And Jews To Hold Talks Lausanno, April 27. A preparatory Arab-Jewish, peace conference will open in Lausanne today but the Arab and Israeli delegations will not negatiate directly at first, UN officials said yesterday. The conference is sponsored by the three-member UN Palestine Conciliation Commission, which comprises Turkey, France and the The talks were originally due to open yesterday but were postponed because some delegations were delayed by bad flying weawright, today suggested that ed. The Israeli and Transjordan the Arab delegations. In a letter published in the Later in the day the Commisland, and perhaps India, is urgent. Arab Affairs section of the Israeli The distinguished dramatist Foreign Office. All the meetings points out that of his 93 years, are to be held in strictest secrecy. The Arab and Jewish delegations will not meet directly for the time being, Commission The major items of discussion

-London, April 26. are expected to be the fate of The Free Czech Information an estimated 800,000 Arab regaged in the penceful process of Service here said today that the fugees from Palestine in the Arab bringing supplies up the River." Czechoslovak Ministry of the countries and the definition of the make any further statement of all Czechoslovak officers who The four Arab delegations will about protecting the seamen served in the independent represent all the Arab countries atill on Amethyst-stranded up Czechoslovak Army and the | bordering on Israeli-occupied

officials said.

munist lines except that ni and were dismissed as unreliable. The Arab delegations already possible stops are being taken, after the Communists took in Lausanne are headed by Adnnn Atasey, Syrian Minister to tion of apploplaing to the Com. It quoted a reliable report France, Abdel Charl el Abane, which has just reached London head of the Political section of After a clash between the for this information and added the Egyptian Foreign Office, and Prime Minister and Mr. Churchill that the arrests are to be made Fund Bey Amoun, General Secreabout the responsibility for the towards the end of April- tary of the Lebanese Foreign Office -- Associated Press.



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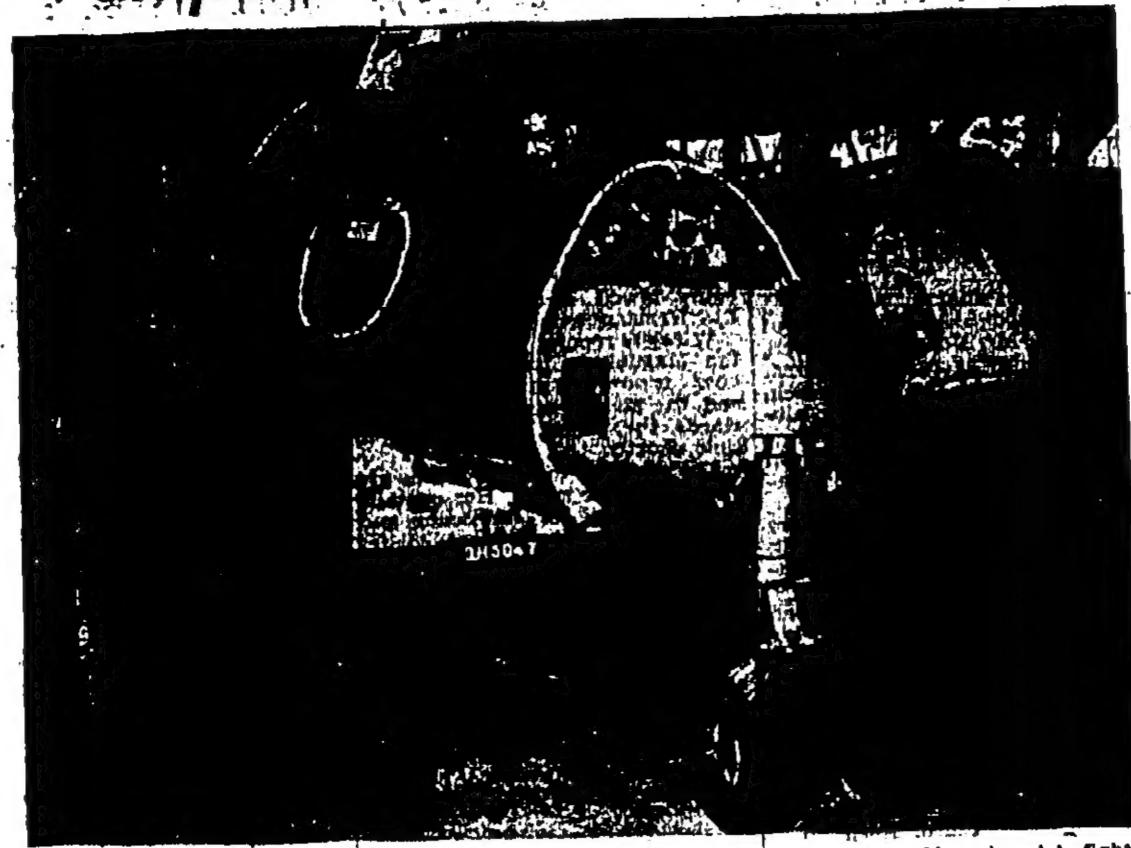
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Production of the first de Havilland Vampire jet fighter, standard fighter alreraft of the Royal Australian Air Force, is well advanced at the Bankstown (New Bouth Wales) plant of TRINIDAD the ,de Havilland Aircraft Company Proprietary Limited, Picture shows work proceeding on the pilot's cockpit and front part of the Vampire. This see ion is made of laminated wood, BAUXITE glued together under high pre sure. The front wheel of the tricycle-type landing gear is in place, and the workman in the cookpit (with head showing) is installing instruments. STATION

## Scientific Instruments To Take Spotlight At Next Month's Fair

The visitor to the 1949 British Industries Fair will, immediately on passing through the main entrance to the Fair, be confronted, as in 1948 and 1947, with the exhibit of British scientific instruments.

This fact is symbolic of the place which scientific instruments occupy in modern life, and particularly in modern industrial life.

bring the bauxite out to some able to design and develop point and transfer it to the ships. every type of scientific instru-We have found Trinidad the best ment required for all the vary-

It will be found that in the Trinidad from customs duty will relatively short space of three post-war years scientific instru-Preliminary survey for the pro- ment manufacture in Great Bri- panorama of current scientific ject was begun in January, 1948 tain has not only recovered from knowledge. The detailed and quality, Although the actual use and dredging began a fortnight a long period of complete pre- abstruse investigations into the of this process has so far been tater. The dredging work, which occupation with the production of reflection of wireless waves by confined in Britain to railway has cost US\$150,000, is now almost military instruments, but is now conducting layers in the upper sleepers and a bridge at Wigan, producing not only a greater range atmosphere, which received their several buildings incorporating of instruments than ever before first major application in the use prestressed reinforced concrete When completed, the new in its history, but has met all of radar during the war, are constation will be equipped to unload demands for robustness, utility, densed and epitomised in the Works has been experimenting bauxite ere up to 1,200 tons an and precision in a most abund- radar equipment which allows the for some time with pre-stressed hour and load up to 2,000 tons and ant manner.

ciation of Great Britain, Limited, is again co-operating, has in
previous years been built around transmitted through some medium
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tracted much interest, particulara central exhibit designed to il- might not appear to be a very ly among the smaller firms, who lustrate some particular applica- practical or profitable one. The have in the past been slow to tion of the use of scientific in- phase-contrast microscope, how- take up modern mothods. struments. In 1948, television ever, which incorporates prinwas the theme of this application, ciples which have been elucidat- ments in Britain during 1048 and while this attracted very con- ed as a result of such study, has have been confined to making do siderable attention, the central given the microscopist fresh fields with available materials and exhibit to be included in the 1949; to conquer and has put into the manpower and experimenting Fair cannot but arouse the in- hands of medical research a tool with new materials and techtense interest of every visitor.

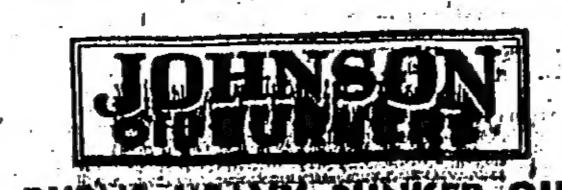
## Exhibition

By arrangement with the munity.

The scientific instrument is struction will be combined. for some time, and examples of tion rendered by the Trindac the key tool of industry and one Around this central exhibit will them will be seen at the British Government. There must be a can assess the stature of the be grouped the individual displays Industries Fair. transfer station because the mines industry of any country by the by those scientific instrument industry of any country by the are up shallow rivers and boats degree to which its scientific firms which produce electronic in- crete is another building developcannot get full loads. We must instrument industry has been ments of this nature being the ment which has recently received ones most closely associated with likely to influence building in the atomic energy project, the future. This technique, Around these, again, will be which is already well known in and conttrol which are he life grouped the exhibits of the very Europe, is being developed by dustry and civil life.

> In one sense an exhibition of contours of port installations and flooring units for housing and the coast surrounding them to be The exhibition of scientific in- displayed on a cathode-ray tube struments, in which the Scientific on the bridge of a ship seeking costs the Ministry has also spon-Instrument Manufacturers' Asso- to enter the port. A study of sored a number of demonstrations which enables them to obtain niques. knowledge of micro-organisms which will profoundly affect the health and well-being of the com-

Ministry of Supply an exhibition The principles of electrois being staged which will illus- chemistry may seem to be remote trate the part played by instru- from ordinary life, but the pH mentation in the exploitation of moter, which is the concrete ematomic energy. The demonstra- bodiment of those principles, has, tion is being arranged by the by its use, a most potent influ-Atomic Energy Station at Har- ence-upon the purity of our food well, and in consequence will be and on the quality and durability of an authoritative and factual of innumerable articles used in nature in which interest and in-



# Hamper Building

improvement in the supply of building materials, the development of building technique has once more been governed

gramme has been much criticized, nut also because few people believe that the country-wide rash of "prefabs" will really be cleared away at the end of its allotted. span of 10 years. Among other critics are the dwellers in new permanent houses, who remark on the superior quality of the mechanical equipment in the temporary ones. Of the permanent prefabricated types, a least one has had to be discontinued because of the shortage of steel.

In the materials industry there ons been some unhappiness in the orickfields, particularly omong the smaller firms. Immediately after the war the Government urged all brick-makers to increase production. They did so, and the works were only just beginning to produce to capacity when the Government brought in its programme of capital cuts, and the smaller firms, who produce most of the more expensive types of brick, foundthemselves in many cases with

huge stocks on their hands. Shortage of steel has again helped the development of light alloys for structural work. The London County Council, which controls all building in the metropolis, has given "conditional" permission for the construction of a building with an aluminium frame. The condition is that the owner shall pull it down if the London County Council should so require within a specified time.

## Main Difficulty

The main difficulty facing the nuthorities, who are responsible for laying down permissible working stresses, is that there are so many aluminium alloys, each with widely differing properties. Prefabricated aluminium roof trusses have been on the market

to 80 per cent. in reinforcing steel can be made as comparwith traditional scientific instruments provides a forced concrete, but the steel are projected. The Ministry of pylons for overhead power lines. In an effort to reduce building

In general, building develop-

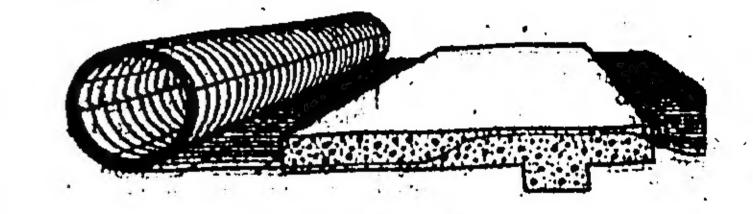


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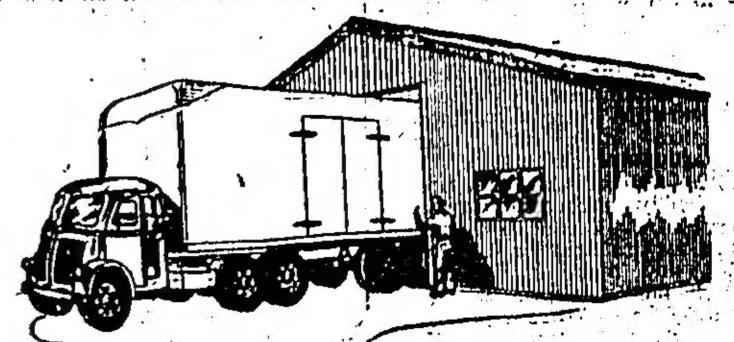
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thers this year.

# COMMUNIST ADVANCE BRINGS

## **NEW RESEARCH** LABORATORY IN PANAMA

Hong Kong's amateur and professional photographers will benefit shortly from results of experiments being carried out sit Panama City, it was learn? ed here yesterday,

has opened a new research tences to those in the rear. inboratory in Panama City to der tropical conditions, Dr. Walter than was the drive across cannot be mixed. Clark is in charge of the research Europe. The present danger is In any event, should Comprogramme there.

City fall into two general cate- | West, just as it suddenly turned gories. One is confined to the against the Nationalist forces of study of the effect of the tropics Chifin, on films, plates, papers, cameras, lenges and other photographic equipment

The second category concerns t research on all aspects of photographic prictice and the many problems that face photographers in the tropics.

The results of the research will be made available to all photos graphers who encounter tropical problems.

## Far East Defence Measures

New York, April 26 A "Taines" editorial today unged the Western powers to take the fence by zones as the Pick ad**lead in defence measures in the variety** 'far East as they are already doing In Europe.

"What holds good for Western Europe and Germany is also relevant to the free nations of the Pacific and Japan," it said,

"For the Communist advance in China has an even more ominous meaning for these areas than the Communist coup in Cze-Europe."

The "Times" said that what has been done in Europe thus far a more comprehensive solution.

"Thesé steps must still be matched with even the beginlings of similar meaures in the Pacific area." — United Press.

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New York, April 26. The steamroller offensive of the powerful Red armies in China has created a fresh major crisis in the now not so cold war of political ideola-

The Western Powers had scarcely finished signing the Atlantic pact, to halt the Communist drive across Europe, when the Chinese chieftain, Mao Tse-tung, forced the line of the Yangtse. Thus almost overnight the West was confronted with another threat.

The experiments at Panman critical. Time now is with the would be in a Red vice,

It is idle to speculate on how much time may be involved in the Chinese conflict, .We know that the Communist resources both militury and economic, are great, while the Nationalist Govcriment's resources are terribly

the North the forces from Yangtse has been spashed Their capital of Nanking has been occupied by the enemy a shocking blow to the morale of the nation.

## **Zonal Defence**

Southward through China. made than that the Nationalist she can .-- Associated Press. minution is desperate" However. Generale simo Chimag Kat- hek is said to have planned a de-

Many of those zones with their troops are in the hands of warlords and, if they remain loyal to Chiang, the Nationalist detence might give the Communists a surprise.

Speculation at this time is little. We shall have to awart develop-

choslovakia had for Western the world's most populous nation, 10,660 horsepower diesels. would give Communism a powerfut base from which to work in all Asia. Neighbouring India Shipping added this month to would be the next great nation Japan's shipbuilding schedule, can only be the first steps toward to come under pressure, and it and bring the total under might be that she would provide schedule to 15,-United Press.

The weight of the attack had a barrier which Communism The Eastman Rodak Company been shifted from the front de- ceuld not surmount. The Hindus and Moslems of the Indian pen-True, the new torned in the insula are intensely religious. study photographic materials un- Orient is much far her away and Communism and religion

## less immifrent, and in that sense munism have a sweeping success the situation is perhaps not so in the Orient, the Western nations

Britain finds herself in an un comfortable position as the ra Bult of the Communist drive.

**British Position** 

She has many interests in China, including her big Crown colory of Hong Kong on the Scuth coast, Already a British The Nationalists' most power-| cruirer, a destroyer and two ful delence against the Red sleeps have been pounded by Communist shore runs with considerable loss of life.

The Admiralty is sending a cruises to join the Far Eastern Fleet, At present there are two cruisers, eight destroyers and four sloops based at Hong Kong.

but they have no air cover. A million and a half Red of forces under the circumstances troops are ready for the drive and it is safe to take it for grant . ed that Britain has every inten-What other estimate can be tion of keeping out of trouble if

## DE LA RAMA'S NEW VESSELS

New York, April 27. The De La Rann Line has placed orders for three Pacific pass senger cargo vessels with the

The liners will each gross 10,-(900) tons, will be 456 feet long, What we can see clearly enough 651, feet wide, 41 feet deep and is that a Sovietising of China, have twin screws, powered by

They are among a group of niac which the American Bureau of

# Top Priority For Europe Arms Aid

Washington, April 26. The United States will give top priority in arms shipments to her Atlantic Pact Allies to weapons needed to neutralise any Soviet blitz of Western

Europe. for Western Europe, say the training and administration. weapons most urgently needed are American armour and anti-

tank weapons. Leading American military strategists believe that with United States help, Western Europe can withstand any invasion by Russia. The plan now land, sea and air forces more effective rather than to build up

(2) Spare parts for existing brought to the Continent; mestic production.

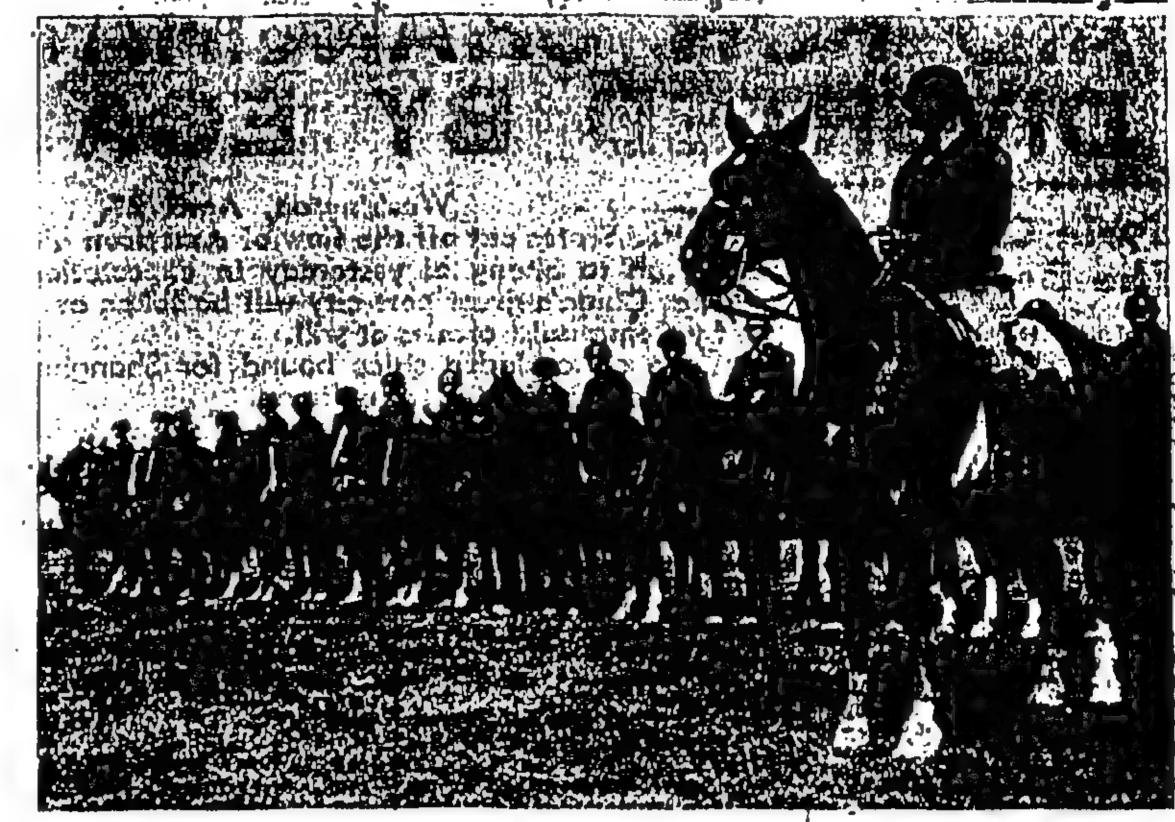
United States Government micians will be sent overseas to officials, drafting legislation for supervise the use of American \$1,130 million in arms shipments equipment and to help standardise

the creation of a "community army" patterned on the Swiss armed forces.

Mr. James Reaton, diplomatic correspondent of the "New York Times," sald the first objective is is to make the existing European to deter the Russians from mak-

The second is to hold a second front open somewhere on the The needs of the 11 Pact Allies | Continent so that, in the event of the United States are listed in of an armed attack, the power this order. (1) American arms, of the West can immediately be

transport, communications and And, third, which will take other military equipment. (3) | years, is to make Western-Europe Raw materials to stimulate do- and North America strong enough to repel an armed attack before An unspecified number of Russia overruns Western Europe. Army, Navy and Air Force tech- -Reuter.



Regiments of tanks and simpur are often called "cavalry," Miscalled, Captain Victor Shaney would say. Commanding the 7766th Horse Troop, United States army, at Schweinfurt. Germany, he's a dichard supporter of the indispensability of the horse in a modern army. Here men of the second and third plateons of the 7766th Horse Treep sit their mounts prior to dally drift. This last horse troop in the U. S. cavalry uses a former Luftwaffe airfield as a practice ground. AP Photo.

# Royal Couple Moving Into A "Dream House"

London, April 26. This is a normal strengthening Princess Elizabeth, the Duke of Edinburgh and their baby son, Prince Charles, will move into their new Landon home, Clarence House, at the end of May after months of delay and disappointment, it was officially announced today.

Their home was to be ready by January, but building material shortages delayed the work. They will have a London home of their own for the first time after 18 months of married life.

Mitsubishi yards at Nagasaki, return from a visit to North Ire- entertaining. The State Drawing Their household secretaries and scheme, with 'touches of red and about 20 servants will take up gold. The State Dining Room, to the Princess and the Duke are will be in shades of green, with a touring North (Wales.

> When the Royal couple moves it will revive the traditions that passed from the beautifully-ap- sterling worth of old china. The pointed mansion in 1942 when its silver plate is worth a small forowner, the Duke of Connaught, tune, died and all its contents were

A Government grant of £50,- ments on the first floor. The ing the four-storejed house, egg blue walls. The Princess' which was badly damaged during own room will have soft peach the war. Work has been going draperies and tinted sheets and on for more than a year.

for the Duke of Clarence, after- operated sliding doors, fitted wards King William IV, and was shelves and racks for his clothes. occupied later by Queen Victoria's mother, the Durhess of Kent. It became the bridal home of the Duke of Edinburgh, Queen Victoria's sailor son, in 1794, when he brought to London his Russian wife, Marie, the only daughter of Czar Alexander II. Then it was for 61 years the London home of The goal of the Atlantic Paot | the Duke of Connaught. Later nowers shroad is described as the Red Cross and St. John Organisation directed its overseas war work from the mansion.

## All Modern

Clarence House is now a "dream" home. The interior decoration and furniture is a combination of old and news

Their move from Buckingham I floor Into State apartments, which Palace is to take place after their | they will use only for formal land, planned for May 25 and 26. Room will have a beign and ivery quarters there this week while be known as the Adam Room, green carpet in an over-all chrysanthemum design,

. The Princess has thousands of

The Duke and Princess Elizabeth will have their private apatblankets. The Duke's room, one of the entirely modern rooms in The house was built in 1825 the house, has push-button

## The Nursery

ship's cabin.

nursery on the floor above. In tion of Nanking." primrese yellow, it has a gally coloured frieze of animals and fairyland characters.

Internal telephones connect every part of the house, including the nursery. Two big television perials have been installed and Britain's junior Royal Family will see the latest films in a small private theatro-

Many of the pieces the Royal Quardsman will be on duty day it into a huge war base, from couple received as wedding and night. It has glass panelled which to strack the Soviet Union presents. The soft furnishings, sides eq. that he can see what and to throttle the national freegoes on without going out into dom movements of all Asia, has The couple has turned some of the rain. It also has space for a been blasted," they declared.hie best rooms on the ground scat .- Reuter. d. 1: 1 ... Reuter.

## Should Be Rammed Down Their Throats

Washington, April 26. Senator Tom Connally, Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, told reporters today that a Sigle Department protest should be rammed: down the throats of the Chinese Communists who inveded the American Embassy at Nan-

(A State Department statement yesterday said that: 12 Chineso Communist soldiers violated the Embassy and entered the Ambassador's bedroom during the night).

Senator Connaily added: "it's a serious affront. They have got to learn to respect United States' rights and property. We have got to take a firm stand in this matter." -- Reuter.

## American Communists On China

The flag of China flew next to His dressing room is like a the American flag outside United States Communist Party headquarters today while Communist Prince Charles will have his Party leaders halled the "libera-

> William Z. Foster, Chairman of the National Committee of the United States Communist Party, and Eugene Dennis, General Secretary of the Party, said the capture of the Chinese capital is "a milestone in the liberation of the Far East from its foreign and native oppressors."

"The Imperialists" dream of Outside sightseers will see n Most of the furniture is antique, unique sentry box, where a dominating China and converting

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Under Italian administration U.S. Naval vessels at Shanghai Libya's population and reached have already been moved out of living standards never previously the Whangpoo River beyond the

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Itao in North China have been

tering Nationalist Government,

ACCUSED

The Political Bureau of the

Communist-led Socialist Unity

Party in Berlin today officially

accused the Yugoslay Military

of American Imperialism and

spreading Trotskylst propaganda."

The charges were made in an

announcement that two Berlin members of the Party have been

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Hallan Ambassador to the Unit-

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tee on the future of Halv's

Praising Italy's efforts for the

native populations of those mens

be declared that in Libya, Italy

and medical services had been lery,

provided free and educational

In Eritrea the native population and increased from 200,000 to 1,600,000 under Italian ad

Signor Tarchlant said that even

the Fascist regime, despite its

many grave errors, had not been

so black as it had been painted,

It had abolished wide measures

of .self-government introduced by

years ago but it had retained

many others. Local chiefs, ad-

vised by native councils, had

He went on to say that Italy

had elaborate plans to further ]

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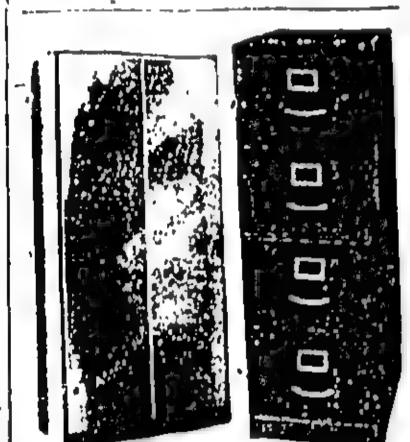
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It was the first gold withdrawal by China since February 1947 when \$14,000,-000 was taken out .- Associated Press.

## PRAGUE 'PEACE' CONGRESS ENDS

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Prague, April 26. The meeting of the delegates to the Paris World Congress of Peace, who were denied visus, for France and held an "overflow" | Congress here, ended early today after a reading of the peace manifesto adopted by the main

Academician Kuo Mo-jo, leader UB\$8,000,000, by ECA's China of the delegation from specialist. Harlan Cleveland China, which was not Bill unshipped are about to go to Paris, told the Congress: I assistant editor of the "North up early so they can get home "As soon as peace is restored to China Dally News," ECA supplies now in Shanghai China, it will be secure all over The Prague Congress ended

with a mass rally.—Reuter,

ELECTIONS IN

CANADA

Mr. Louis St. Laurent, Cons-

Ottawa, April 26.

A MAN ON THE NOSE

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ration for come time with stocks and rice, Mr. Cleveland told reporters: hopeful that suspension of fur- "We do not want to be dumping ther shipments will not arouse more cotton on the docks one Chinese resentment which might day and have the Communists

Present plans after winding

up the Shanghai operation are to continue sending most ship- dian Prime Minister, announced ments to Canton and vicinity, today that the Canadian Parliawith smaller amounts to Swatow ment will be dissolved next and to the Nationalist-held Is- week-end and a general election land of Formosa, ... Associated held as soon as possible.

ed feed Shanghai's teeming millions are continuing, but it is uncertain for how long.

## To Canton -

The cotton flow was estimat. Congress in Paris. ed at 58,000 bales, worth 100,000 additional bales.

ECA officials said mills inside are valued at US\$12,671,000 in- the Far East," Shanghai itself can continue ope- cluding cotton, feetiliser, flour

mercase the uncertainties of take it the next."

Only a few hours before the other foreign powers withdraw press.

Economic Co-operation Admini- | In addition to diverting the stration officials said deliveries of cotton ships from Shanghai food and other supplies to Shang- Japan, the ECA instructed hai will cease automatically when porters to suspend orders for

## US\$16,000,000 worth of cotton.

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## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SHANGHAI HAS NO NEWS OF THE WAR

Shanghai, April 27.

News about China's civil war is conspicuously lacking from this morning's Shanghai newspapers.

The English-language "China Daily Tribune" and "China Press" each carried one small story which was carefully attributed to the semiofficial Central News Agency.

war banner and about one (third by a firing squad. column type. The "Tribune" boxed a shorter story and buried | -not newspapermen-were shot it at the bottom of the first page. The British-ewned "North information.

the April 25 edition. couple of editors were called be- ed invalid, fore garrison officials. The correspondents were Reuters' Grnhom Jenkins and International

Vines and Jenkins were held Press. overnight and released shortly after II a.m. yesterday.

Soon after the pair were picked up, the garrison headquarters issued an order that only war news released by the Garrison through Central News can be published.

## Death Penalty

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The papers are hewing to the line and so fare the majority of correspondents. They do not the Princess. want to be found guilly of "cunour-changerang" which, un- of Princess Margaret at Naples der the provisions of the martial Airport, -- Reuter.

INTERNATIONAL

SITUATION .

The "China Press" gave it a law now in force, is punishable Two Chinese "rumour-monkers" two days ago for spreading fulse

China Daily News" did not even ! Another thing which is limitpublish. The paper was suspend- ing activities of newspapernen in ed for three days for printing Shanghal is the 10 p.m. curfew "untrue" stories about the war in which was effective on the night of April 25, when the curfew was As a result of the untrue stories | declared, Curlew paesses which two foreign correspondents and a most newsmen held were declar- t

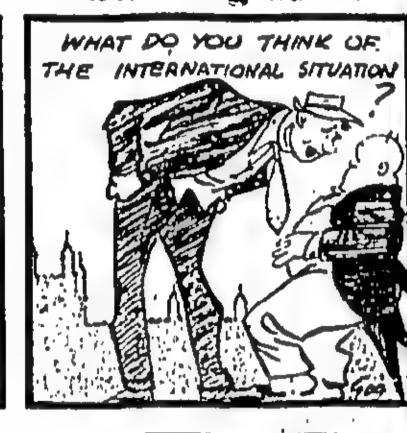
Now it is almost impossible to get copy to cable offices after 10 p.m. And staffs of local morning allowed News George Vine. Vine is also papers must get their papers made hefore the curfew.—Associated

## PRINCESS' TOUR OF ITALY

London, April -25. Major Thomas Harvey, Private Secretary to Queen Elizabeth, who will not as escort to Princess Margaret on her Italian tour, left London Airport today for Naples, a day in advance of

. He will prepare the reception

## Striking scene

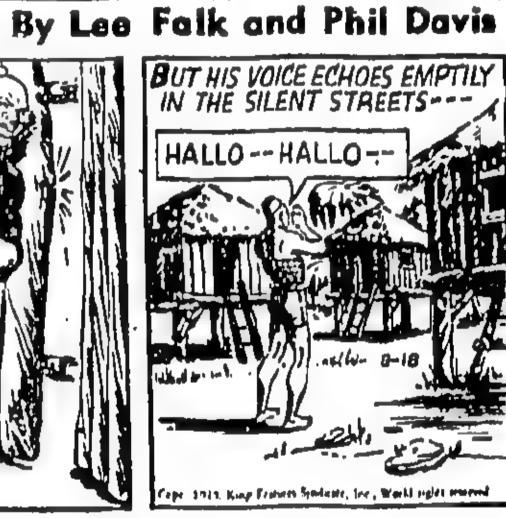


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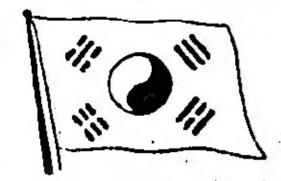
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# TAIWAN DEVELOPMENT AS A MILITARY

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It's now or never for British archaeologists probing the

secrets of ancient London. They are appealing for £50,-000 to finance a rush job do it before a new London rises | radio broadcasting stations. Taion the ruins."

The Luftwaffe blasted to bits the modern buildings that stood East Asian countries. Taiyan is over 50 acres of what formerly was the old 350-acre, walled city. Before the new steel and concrete giants (go up-and their missive foundations drive deep into the precious, relic-filled soil-archaeologists must dig feverishly, Once the rebuilding starts, they

be lost, Steel grabs will smush delicate will destroy crumbling traces of the Roman Wall that shielded the

## $B_{Y}$ ARTHUR W. WHITE

surface.

not be delayed. London's future the country's economy if it were depends upon It.

For the search organisation, the Roman and Medieval Excavation Council, help is short as well as money. The archaeologists want to increase their paid digging staff from 10 to 50. They want scores more volunteer student workers. British or fereign. Several groups of American and Dutch students have helped since the war.

The £50,000 the Council seeks is in addition to £3,000 already given by the Government and £2,500 from private denors. The Council hopes American dollars will swell the fund.

Boss of the excavators is keeneyed Mr. William F. Grimes, Director of London Museum.

"In the last two years," he says cities gay, with new paint, Theatre. By 1951 there will be a proudly, "We've made more dis- towns ablaze with bunting, permanent Concert Hall and smart coveries than in the previous 50. revels on the village greens. Walls, pottery, bones, coins, implements of all kinds. The bonibers gave us the opportunity. We Festival, which will run from May Home ideas for housewives in must not waste it.

"No city in the world ever had a better chance to trace its his- | on the South bank of the Thames tory. Our aim is to cross-trench every blitz-site."

Main search is in the area East of St. Paul's Cathedral where fire. This region was the centre jumble of waterfront warehouses of Roman London.

In spite of 19 centuries of recorded existence, the capital's history is still to a large extent unwritten. Mr. Grimes says lots of questions need answers.

Was London's story continuous? What was life like in the prosperous Roman days around A.D. 122 when it had a forum, basilica, statues, shops and markets? What happened after the Legionaires left? What of the Dark Ages and Saxon days? What traces remain of London's two great calamities -the plague in 1665 and the fire the following year?

Many clues lie in the chalk, gravel and sticky clay on which London's is built. A fascinating serial is there, layer upon layer. Excavators at Cripplegate are digging carefully into the old city ditch-filled in about 1640-which ran outside the massive wall was a wet and stinking moat into which citizens tossed everything poor wretch who lived there they didn't want,

The old-time rubbish is price- leper.

Pottery and bone implements the excavations, enchanted by the abound. The Saxon strata gave ancestral story unfolding at their up a valuable bronze pendant. feet. Noon-time crowds gaze Medieval pottery found included open-mouth as bearded professors a whistle in the shape of a jester's tenderly scrape their grimy finds. hend. Filled with water and A blackened walnut or centuriesold dog's skull is enough to raise blown, it warbles like a bird.

In one place, diggers found the a cheer. ashes of a house burned down in the great fire of 1666. Ten feet above, on the surface, were the work to find a pile of freshlyashes of another fire—the raging turned earth in his trench. Unflames of Hitler's 1941 blitz. derneath was an old shoe, Some of the 16th and 17th Just so he'd know it was century pottery discovered was genuine relic, tled to it was imported from Germany. There label bearing the owner's name: was Hessian table ware of 1620 Julius Seeser (Caesar). .

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Taipeh, April 27. The necessity of developing Taiwan as a military base in the "world's Democratic camp" because of its importance in any over-all anti-Communist plan was stressed by an authoritative source here in an interview with Reuter. Saying that Taiwan would be a real asset to the

Democratic group of world nations, the source recalled that the Japanese had made it one of their main military bases during World War

1951 And All This

By JOHN HALL

Look forward to a Britain | Enemy bombs began the demoli-

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Speaking about America's aid

programme, the official expressed

the opinion that in its world-wide

Emphasising that Talwan

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It has to ensure a stable and

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and better living.

Medical and scientific advances;

There are to be displays of art

Everyone In

While all this will be concentrat-

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This was so because Taiwan possessed good airfields and good 2,000 years of history uncovered harbours and, for propaganda by German bombs. They must purposes, there were powerful wan still has all these things.

The source said that while Communists are active in most South as yet untouched by Communism. In view of all these favourable conditions, it added, it is puzzling that Taiwan is not being consi-

dered in terms of an Asian anti-Communist bastlon in South East The Island could today be betsay, London's buried treasure will ter developed than the South Sea Islands because, unlike these islands, she is not being harassed medieval pottery. Workers' picks by Communist activity. One result of this freedom from Com-

munist influence, the source said,

is that Taiwan was, for Instance,

producing very much more sugar than the South Sea Islands, Taiwan also has a considerable rice acreage and with two harvests a year it is able to carmark legions of Emperor Claudius from a large part of it for export withbarbarous Butons. What survives out harming home consumption. of Roman Londonium, now is Furthermore, Taiwan has coal, buried 12 to 19 feet below the timber and comphor resources which are not being allowed to The history-seekers are racing lie domant, while the fishing inagainst time. Reconstruction can- | dustry could be a potent factor in

> "These products are essential | It is to be included in any utilboth in times of peace and mate anti-Communist bloc in war and Taiwan has enough of Asia,"-Reuter,

floodlighting, fountains, open-

air cafes and music, provincial

1 to September 30, will be a 30-

acre site in the heart of London

between Waterloo and Westmins-

are working there now, clearing a

dations of a new embankment

that will step over, and hide the

tidal mudflats, replace the gaunt

rubbish chutes with symmetrical

Before the war 1,500 Londoners

lived in the sooty squalor of the

South Bank site, with pub, factor-

ies, and workshops for neighbours.

exposed edge of the city ditch,

outside the protecting wall. The

probably was an outcast, maybe a

Modern Londers are flocking to

London's kids have fun, too.

One archneologist arrived

doners paid for the imports with Fair.

They are being rehoused.

ter bridges.

stonework.

possible to develop it properly.

## Shengking From Shanghai

Arrivals by the ss. Shengking yesterday from Shanghai included Mr. Peter Verrall, Mr. R. Rice, Dr. Robert Briggs Watson, Miss A. Alexander, Miss C. E. Mottu, Mr. H. P. Karanjia, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dye and Mr. and Mrs. R. Mac-

The Shengking left Shanghai on April 23 and visited Keelung bofore coming down here. She brought about 300 tons of general cargo from Shanghai and about 70 tons from Keching.

She had 181 Chinese passengers, of whom 161 were from Shanghal. them to ensure continuous sup-According to the compradore, plies for the outside world," only four Chinese passengers were known to have booked passage for Shanghai yesterday. The In return Talwan needs some Shengking is due to leave for the esential imports, including fertili- Northern metropolis tomorrow.

## WILLIAM POWELL CO. TO DECLARE DIVIDEND, BONUS

allocations the United States Government should readjust its dis-At a meeting of the Directors tribution of supplies to the of William Powell, Limited, "Democratic camp" according to held on Tuesday, it was decided their needs and production capa- that subject to laudit the Directors will recommend to shareholders at the ordinary yearly one of the biggest islands in the meeting in May, payment at a Pacific Ocean and that it is Dividend of \$1 and Bonus of 50 strategically located in the centre cents a share, free of Tax, in of the South East Asia line of defence, the source said that respect of the financial year ended February 28. while waiting for its incorpora-

## SEALING SHIP CRUSHED

St. John's Newfoundland, that the masses of the people will The 174-ton Newfoundland sealinfluence. Talwan is doing this ing vessel. Wimoda, was crushed to its best ability not only be- by ice and sank off Northern Newcause it is the right and logical foundland today, the first casualty thing to do but also because it of this year's scaling season.feels that this is one of the Reuter.

## POST OFFICE

## MAIL NOTICE Outward Mails

Unless otherwise stated, Registered Articles and Parcel Posts close 80 minutes earlier than the ordinary mail. If malls close before 10 a.m., Registered and Parcel Posts close at 5 p.m. on the pre-Malls are closed at Kowloon Central Post Office half an hour earlier than the

that has gone Continental with cil is finishing the job quickly to GPO closing times. THURSDAY, APRIL, 28 Later on, after the Festival, Closing Times by Air there will be a new National Canton and Hankow, (Kowloon CPO) 7.30 a.m., 10 a.m., 12.30 p.m., 2.30 p.m.;

(GPO) 7 a.m., 9.30 a.m., Noon, 2 p.m. new temporary buildings showing Airmail for Shanghai, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 27/4, This will be the great Festival home and overseas visitors Bri-(Ord.) 8 n.m. 28/4. Airmail for Swatow and Amor. (Reg.) 8.30 m.m., (Ord.) 0 m.m. Airmail for Kunming and Liuchow; Air-, furniture, colour schemes light-

mail for Amoy and Tsingtao, (Reg.) 3 p.m., \$Ord.) 8.30 p.m. New designs in pottery, textiles, Airmail for Kwellin and Chungking; Airmail for Swatow and Talnan, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.) 8.80 p.m.

Airmail for Rangoon, Calcutta, Karachi, Bahrein, Alexandria (Nairobi, Momburn, Dares Salaam, Mauritius, Johannesburg and Marsellies via Alexandria). Rome and London, Kowloon CPO: (Reg.) 4 p.m., (Ord.) 4.30 p.m.; GPO: (Reg.) 4.30 p.m., (Ord.)

Airmail for Bangkok, Batavia, Colombo. Sydney and Auckland, (Reg.) 4.80 p.m., (Ord.) 5 p.m. ed on the Thames-side site the Airmail for Shanghal and Japan, (Reg.) 4.30 p.m., (Ord.) 5 p.m. Airmail for Singapore, (Reg.) 4.30 p.m.,

feativities will spread across Britain. Every community has been (Ord.) 5 p.m. asked to arrange special events to Closing Times by Sea mark the festival and to incor-Hollow and Pakhol via Hollow, 19 a.m. porate and amplify for that year events such as the Edinburgh Fes-

Amny and Shanghai, 2 p.m. from the Rhineland. Early Lon- fod, and the British Industries Manlia, 3 p.m. Batavia, Sourabaya and Macassar, 5 p.m.

Teamkong (via Canton), 5 p.m. PRIDAY, APRIL 29 Closing Times by Air scent bottle were taken from an the country for stay-at-homes to Airmsil for Swatow and Amoy, (Reg.) 8.30 m.m., (Ord.) D a.m. I see, and for overseas visitors there Alrmail for Hollow, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.)

> Airmail for Teingine: Airmail for Swatow, Amoy and Talpeh, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m. Airmail for Manils, Honolulu, USA and Canada, (Reg.) 4.10 p.m., (Ord.)

Air Parcel Post for Manils, Honolulu and Why shall we be rejoicing in 1951? Primarily it is the centen-(GPO) 5 p.m. ary year of the great 1851 Exhi-

USA, (Kowleon CPO) 4.80 p.m. ordinary Airmail (printed matters, sambitlon, which was an outstanding ples and small packets posts) for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and USA.

Airmsil for Shanghal, (Reg.) 4.50 p.m., (Ord.) 6 p.m. Closing Times by Sea in need of a little self-boost by Sandakan, Australia and New Zealand via

(Kowloon CPO) 4.80 p.m., (GPO) \$

Byrlney, (Par. and Reg.) 12,30 p.m., (Opt.) 1 p.m. the work beside the Thames is Shanghal, 3 p.m. BATURDAY, APRIL 10

part of an LCC improvement Closing Times by Air schemes the costs will be small Airmail for Manila, (Reg.) 11 a.m. and the planners are convinced (Ord.) 11.30 a.m. that the Festival will pay for Airmail for Systow, Amoy, Shanghal and Tringtao: Airmail. for Chungking, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3,30 p.m. Airmail for Taipeh; Airmail for Kunming and Calcutta, (Reg.) 5 p.m., (Ord.) than £1,500,000 but there will Alrmail for Bangkok, (Reg.) 4.30 p.m.

be an amusement park and all (Ord.) 5 p.m. the fun of the fair somewhere! Closing .Times by Ben Salgon, 10 a.m.

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CHICAGO GRAINS Grains pushed upward in late, trading, Wheat finished 1% 2%, blaher, May, \$2,243/4 July \$1.06%-\$1.97; Beptember

\$1.97 % - %. Corn was \$5-1, cent higher. Oats were %-16 higher. By was 1 % higher.
Soybeatis were 2%, 4 cents higher. Car 40 water absorbleted Press, ..

Washington, April 26. Although the Chinese civil war now overshadows other events in Asia, there is another struggle there which will play on increasingly important part in the Far East-in labour unions.

Communists and anti-Communists are in a contest to help organise and direct Asia's comparative-These efforts are underlined by

### wo international meetings. The Communist-dominated Federation of Trade Unions hus announced plans for an Asiun Condon April 27,

regional meeting; the date, however, has not been announced. Non-Communist labour representatives are to gather in India on May 6 to discuss formation of a Federation of Lhbour. Delegates will gather from India, Pakistan, the Philippines, Burmo, Indonesia, Iran and China: At least one observer, and possibly two, will be on hand

from the United States. The most unionised country in Financial Times Index: the Far East is Japan. It is not known whether Japanese trade unionists will be represented at the Indore (India) meeting.

. Last month Japan's "Labour, Liaison Council" was informed that it had been accepted as a against sales of cotton to Japun WETU inmetter and was insteadled cotton tutures in early vited to attend the world conference in Milan on June 29. weakened somewhat. Futures On the busis of information closed 80 tents h bale higher to available here, there is a labour union movement of some kind in most Far Enstern countries, usually divided ideologically into Communist and non-Communist. India has three major organisations the Congress Party which claims over a 1,000,000 members Middling spot 34.12 nominat and is anti-Communist, the Communist-dominated Indla Trade Union Congress and the Socialistdominated Hind Mazdoor Sahba The last claims a membership o 300,000 .- United Press.

## Money

Gold Yuan disappeared from the quotation lists of the money risk and expense into the gomorket vesterday. Drop in the demand for US Rowloon' Wharf & Godown dollars has caused a further price recession. The closing rate yes-

ferday was HK\$5.96, as against \$6.10 in the morning. Plustres were also easier, closing at HK\$10.95 a 100 after opening at \$11.10.

Ticals were unchanged HK\$23.20 a 100. , NEI Guilders were easier af Sterling was unchanged at aged goods are to be left in the HK\$32.30 a 100.

## SHIPBUILDING IN JAPAN

tons are under construction Japan, Lloyd's Register of Shipping sald yesterday. It said the figures are the war.-Associated Press.

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# Stock

New York, April 27. Moderate buying pushed the stock market a little upward yesfrom decisive. Most stocks however, showed gains of fractions to around a point.

Transfers totalled 570,00: Among, gainers wer Richfield Oil, Douglas Aircraft Safeway Stores, Commonwealt Dow Chemical, Santa Fe Skelly Oll, 20th Century Fox Stumblers included Woolworth Allied Chemical, United Aircraft Columbia Gas, American Airlines ·Dow Jones averages: Stock: 62.90, 20 Industrials 174.21, 15

Rails 47.58, 10 Utilities 35.55. Closing quotations: Adams Express 18% Alaska Juneaus 314 American Can: 92 % American Smelting: 40 American Telephones 145 Amerlean Tobaccus 65% American Waterworks: M Anaconda Copper: 30% Baldwin Lacomotives 11 Barnadall: 44 % Bendla Aviation: 32% Bethlehem Bleels 80 Boeing Aircraft; 22% Storden Co. 1 46.32 Canadian Pacific: 1244 J. 1. Com 3814 Chrysler : 61 % Colgate: 31 % Commercial Solventa: 19 Corn Products: 63 %

Du Pont: 189 Editmun Kodiski 4416 General Electric: 37% General Motora: 67% Goodricht 61 14 Goodyear: 41% Rumentake Mining: 411%

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after the goods have left the godowns or failure to attend the survey. All broken, chafed and dam-

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NY COTTON

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New York, April 27.

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HR\$16, and Australian pounds godown where they will be were easier at HK\$13.17. examined in the presence of Messrs. Goddard and Douglas on May 2, 1949, at 10 a.m. To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations;

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New York, April 27. With some 60 per cent of al tariffs are the lowest since the early 1800's, says Business Wee'

Average duty on the other 4 the Undersigned within four- per cent last year was 14 per cent teen days of the ship's arrival, of total value as compared with or they will not be recognised. 55 per cent in the early 1930's .-Associated Press.

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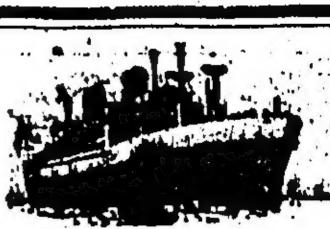
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TODAY CHOYSANG (Jardine) ex-Inchon. TAIRRA (DI) ex-Calcutta. TJIBADANE (Rill) ex-Macassar. THITIALENGKA (RIL) ex-Shanuhal. VAN HEUTSZ (RIL) ex-Straits.

WING SANG (Jardine) ex-Shanghal.

TOMORROW GENERAL GUIHAN (Pattleon) ex-Manth HANGSANO (Jardine) . ex-Sandakan. HOWEL LYRES (APL) ex-Galveston.

## NEILORE (E & A) ex-Australia. Shipping Departures

YESTERDAY ANHUL (B & S) for Amoy. AMERICAN MAIL (Everett) for Kobe. NDREW JACKSON (Walless)

CHANGTE (B & S) for Kure. IRIN YII (CMSN) for Shanghal EASTERN BAGA (Inchine) for Halphone EMPIKE PARK (Mollers) for Takubar, FLYING TRADER (Pattison) for Hollo. HAI HU (CMSN) for Shanghal, HAI TIEN (CMSN) for Banglok. VAN REIMSDIJK (RIL) for Hothow. WAH CHUNG (Your Tung) for Scool

## TODAY

BENWYVIS (Loxley) for UK. POYANG (Il & Fr for Yokohama, SHANSI IB & St for Sydney. TIEN SHAN (CMSN) for Hollow. TSINAN (H & S) for Swatow.

## TOMORROW

GRAND (Wallem) for Tlentsin. SHENGKING IB & St for Shanghal. THEADANE (RUL) for Shanghul. TITTIALENGKA (IIII.) for Macconsor,

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### VESSELS DUE FROM SOUTH AFRICA

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### AMERICA ATLANTIC COAST

HOWELL LYKES (APL) ex-Galveston via Japan ...... PHONEER BAY (USL) ex-New York 30 Jane TALIBMAN (Dodwell) .....

BENARES (Rama) via Los Angeles 4 22 TEGELBERG (RIL). COLORADO (Dodwell) ex-Vancouver 7 July DONA AURORA (Rama) ...... DONA NATI (Hama) ..... 28 PERNCAPE (Thormen) ..... FERNHILL (Thoresen) .....

GERTRUDE MAERSK (Jebsen) .... II IDAHO (Dodwell) ex-Vancouver .... IVARAN (Wallem) ...... MARCHEN MAERSK (Jehsen) .... OCEANSIDE (Dodwell) ex-Hallfax... OBECON (Dodwell) ex-Vancouver . . - 28 May PIONERR DALE (USL) ex-New York 18 PIONEER LAND (USL.) ex-New York 23 PIONEER MAIL (USL) es-New York 12 PRES. JOHNSON (APL) 42-Baltimore 19 S. AFRICAN VICTORY (Course) ex-New York SKAUBO (Hunt) .....

TARIFA (Dodwell) ........ 34 CLIFFSIDE. (Dodwell) ex-Halifax ., %5 PERNBAY (Thorseen) FERNSIDE (Thoreson) ...... MANDEVILLE (Thoroseu) ex-Atlantic

STEEL MAKER (Gliman) ......

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Orleans ....... TEMERATRE (Dodwell) ........ 24 FERNFIELD (Thoroson) ex-Gulf ports 37

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1 SURPRISE (UBL) for Ban Francisco. GENERAL GORDON (APL) for Ban SILVER PLANE (RIL) ..... Early Francisco (via Manila and Japan). TAHBIS (East Asiatis) ..... Ind half 11 PRES, MCKINLEY (APL) for Ban Francisco via Japan. IN GREAT REPUBLIC (USL) for San

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## AUSTRALIA

SEA BERPENT (USL) or-San Fran-

Cisco ........................

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TJITJALENGKA (RIL) ex-Shanghul .28

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## EUROPE

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	BENRINNES (Loxley) ex-US
	UARTHAGE (P & O) ex-London
	DOL(US (B & S) =x-UK
	GLENORCHY (Jardine) ex-London
	GLENEARN (Jardine) ex-London
	KOREA (EA)
	LT DE LA TOUR (MM) ex-Europe
	MOLENKERK (RIL)
	MORTAIN (MM)
	THULDNG (P & O) ex-London
	SOCROTA (P & O) ex-London
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	TAMARA (Gilman)
	TAMERLANE (Thoresen)

THESILLIAN (Mac Mac) ex-London 24 29 THEADANE (RIL) for Shanghal, BLANKVANN (EA) ..... Mid | May HRECONSHIRE (Jardine) ex-London 11 | 1 HUPEH (B & B) for Swatow, CORFU (P & O) ex-London GLENGARRY (Jardine) ex-London .. 26 MEERKERK (RIL) ..... Early MENTOR (H & S) ........

OLUF MAERSK (Gilman) ..... Early 10 SHENGKING (B & B) for Shanghal. TAI PING YANG (Thoresen) .... CANTON (P & O) ex-London ..... RADWORSHIRE (Jardine) ex-London- 12 RUNSKERK (RIL) ..... Early

CARTHAGE (P & O) ex-London CORFU (P & O) en-London ..... CANTON (Mac Mac) ex-London . . . 20 May

## INDIA

IKAUNA (Mac Mar) ex-Coleutta .. 29 SANGOLA (III) ex-Calcutta ..... SHIRALA (III) ex-Colcutta ...... SIRDHANA (Mac Mac) ex-Calcutta. . 22 18 CARTHAGE (P & O) for London.

RICHMOND HILL (Mac Mac) ....

)	JAPAN
	BALUCHISTAN (Jardine)
	CHANGTE (B & S)
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WOBANG (Jardine) SOUTH EAST, PORTS GENERAL GUISAN (Pattison) HANGSANG (Inrdine) ex-Sundakan TJ[SADANE (RIL) ex-Macassar ... VAN HEUTSZ (RIL) ex-Straits ...

BRADEVERETT (Everett) ex-Saigon CHAKSANG (Jardine) ex-Straits ... KUTSANG (Jardine) ex-Straits ; .... BTAR ALCYONE (Everett) ex-Saigon TASMAN (RIL) ex-Montla ...... TJIBADAK (RIL) ex-Java Ports ... VAN REIMSDJK (RIL) ex-Strails.. 29

SOUTH AMERICA TJIKAMPEK (RIL) ..... TEGELVERG (RIL) ...... 7

## SAILINGS TO SOUTH & EAST AFRICA

End, MORTAIN (MM) for N. Africa.

3 BOISSEVAIN (RIL). April Mid. LT. DE LATOUR (MM) for North XI 24 STRAAT BOENDA (RIL). End Mid. STE. MERE EGLISE (MM) North Africa.

4 18 TJIKAMPEK (RIL). AMERICA ATLANTIC COAST

CHASTINE MAERSK (Jebeen). GENERAL GUISAN (l'atthon) Los Angeles .......

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s BENARES (Rame). 8 COLORADO (Dodwell) for Vancouver 9 PRES. GRANT (APL) for New York (direct to Pacific Count). 14 PIONEER MAIL (UEL) for New 16 LONGVIEW VICTORY (Gilman) via

27 OREGON (Dedwell) for Vancouver. 4 DONA AURORA (Rams) via Los 5 MONTANA (Dodwell) for Vancouver. 7 FERNDAY (Thorseen). S CERTRUDE MAERSK (Jebsen) for New York. PIONEER DALE (USL) for New 16 PIONEER LAND (USL) for New 16. PRES. JOHNBON (APL), for New

AIRCRAFT

Arrivals

TODAY

CNAG ex-Amoy via Swatow: 1,45 p.m.

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n.m., 12 noon, 1.10 p.m., 2.50 p.m.,

4.25 p.m., 6.10 p.m.; ex-Shanghel;

12:45 D.m.: ex-Taipel via Swalow:

4.25 p.m.: ex-Tainan via Swatow,

AIRWAYS ex-Canton: 0.40 a.m.,

11.40 m.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.; ex-

Bhanghair 8 p.m. ; en-Munila; 2.40

AA ex-Manila: 12.30 p.m.; FX-San

OAC ex-Bouthampton, Bangkoki 4 p.m.:

BRAATHENS ex-Colo, Bangkok; 4 p.m.

TOMORROW

CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatows : 1.45 p.m.,

6 p.m.; po-Canton; 9,40 a.ra., 11.10

s.m., 12 noon, 1.10 p.m., 1.50 p.m.,

4:35 p.m., \$:10 , p.m.; ex:Foochow:

\$.20 p.m. | .ex-Kweitin via Canton;

4.30 p.m.; ex-Shanghalt 12.45 p.m. CATC .ex-Kunming via Liuchow. Canton!

HR AIRWAYS ex-Canton: \$40 a.m.;

BATURDAY

CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow: 1.45, p.m.,

8 p.m.; ex-Canton; 0.40 . m.m., 11.10

a.m., 12 noon, 3,50 p.m., 1,35 p.m.,

6.10 p.m.; ex-Foothow via Canton's

8.45 p.m.; ex-Shanbhalt 19.45 p.m.

CATG ex.Taipsh vis Amoy, Swatows 4.29

HK AIRWAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 s.m.,

11.40 mm., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.

AA ex-Bangkok 1 12.45 p.m.: ex-San

AL ex-San Francisco via Honolulu,

Wake, Guam, Manlin: 10 a.m.

Departures

TODAY

CNAC for Amoy via Swalow: R a.m.,

12.15 p.m.; Cantony, 9.05 A.m., 9.55

a.m., 11.25 a.m., 1.46 p.m., 2.30 p.m.,

4.05 p.m., 4.50 p.m.; for Forchow via

Talpeh: \$ \$.m.; Shanghal: 12.45 p.m.;

Tuipeht 9 a.m.; Tainan via., Canton,

a.m.; Amoy: T a.m.; Shangkai: 10

via Shangbai, Okipawa, Guam, Wake,

TOMORROW

CNAC for Ampy via Swatows R. a.m.

CATC for Shanghal via Canton, Amoy:

CATC for Singapore via Bangkoks 7 a.m.

HK. AIRWAYS for Cantons & a.m. 10

BOAC for Bangkok, Southampton: 8,45

BATURDAY

CNAC for Amoy via Swalow: \$ a.m.,

CATC for Talpeh via Swatow, Amoy: 6

HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m., 10

PAA for Ban Trancisco via Shanzhai,

PAL for Sen - Francisco via Manila.

(Continued from Col. 5)

20 FRANCISVILLE (Bank) for Singa-

21 PIONEER LAND (USL) for Manilo.

28 VAN REIMSDUK (RIL) for Straits.

24 THEADAK (HIL) for Jave Ports.

End. NELLORE (E & A) for Manila.

4 IKAUNA (Mac Mac) for Stralts.

. BOLSEEVAIN (RIL).

is TRUELDERG (RIL).

" STRAAT BOENDA (BIL).

IS THEAMPER (RIL).

SOUTH AMERICA

ROUND THE WORLD

Ban Francisco, April 27,

Ship departures April

E. Dant from Yokohuma.

Vicines for Mobile, Steel De-

Los Angeles, Ship" departure,

Francisville for Manila,-Asso-

PRES. VAN BUREN (APL).

16 PRES: JEFFERSON (APL).

Guam, Wake, Honolulu: 10 a.m.

2.30 p.m.; Manila: 4 p.m.

a.m., 1 p.m.; 3 p.m.; Shanghalt 10

Tokyo, Wake, Mkiway, Honolulu:

p.m.: New York via Bangkok, Cal-

guith, Karnehi, Istanbul, London!

12.15 p.m.: Canton: 9.00 a.m., 9.65

m.m., 11.25 m.m., 1.48 p.m., 2.30 p.m.

4,05 p.m., 4,50 p.m.; Shanghals 12.45

a.m.: Amort 0.30 s.m. 1 Shanghali

a.m.: for Singapores 9 a.m.

a.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.

CPA for Manila: 2.30 p.m.

8 a.m.: Kunming: 7 a.m.: Canton:

12,75 p.m. ; Canton : 2,05 m.m. . 9,55

a.m., 11,25 a.m., 1.45 p.m., 2.80 p.m.,

4.05 p.m., 4.50 p.m.; Chungking: 9 a.m.; Kunming: 9 a.m.; Shanghair

CATC for Talpeh via Swatow, Amoy: 3

HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m., 10

Swatowt 8.40 m.m.

s.m., 1 p.m., 3 p.m.

12.45 p.m.

Midway, Honolulus # p.m.

Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Guam.

Manila: 1 p.m.; ex-San Francisco-vic-

Hauglulu, Wake, Tokyo, Shanghal:

11.40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.49 p.m.

Francisco via Honolulu, Midway,

Wake, Guam, 'Okinawa, Bhanghai;

ex-Shanghalf . 6 p.m.: ex-Singspore:

ATO en-Talpels via Swatow, Amoy: 0.20

AIR FRANCE ex-Halgon: 12 noon.

Canton: 6,50 p.m.

3.20 p.m.

5.80 p.m.

CPA ex-Manilat 12.20 p.rs.

Mid. TALIBMAN (Dodwell) via Flaur-

If TUDOR (Dodwell) vis Shanghal and 12 PRES. CLEVELAND (APL) for San Francisco. 14 SYEN BALEN (Hunt). May 16 PRES. TAFT (APL) for San Fran-

> BEA BERPENT (UBL) Francisco. 28 CHARLES E DANT (Dodwell). SUNNYVILLE (Hank) for

5 MONTANA (Dodwell). 9 LIGHTNING (USL) for San Francisco 2 PRES. WILSON (APL) for Honolulu and San Francisco. 7 .TARIFA (Dodwell). 23 PLYING DRAGON (UBL) for San Francisco.

### 17 TEMERAIRE (Dodwell).

AUSTRALIA IN BILVIOR (TO WE U) THE DISSURE. 10 EARTERN (E & A) for Rabaul, Brisbune.

IN CHANGTE (B & B) for Bydney. 22 AROS (Dodwell), 30 BALUCHISTAN (Jardine) ... End NELLORE (E & A).

## CHINA

28 TIEN SHAN (CMSN) for Hollow. End | 24 TRINAN (B & St for Hwatow. 18 29 GRAND (Wallern) for Tientsin. End 29 SHENGKING (B & B) for Shanghal-Jame 30 CHOYBANG (Jardine) for Inchon.

1 WINGHANG (Jardine) for Keelung. 3 TSINAN (D 4 B) for Swatow. 3 YOCHOW (B & B) for Inchan. 4 BRADEVERETT (Exercit) for S'hal. Mid 12 CHAKSANG (Jardine) for Feechow. July 12 MOLENKERK (RIL) for Shanghal and Jupan.

13 WINGSANG (Jardine) for Keelung and Shanghal, TRANQUEBAR (EA) ....... MI 14 THEADAK (RIL) for Shanghal,

## EUROPE

MALAYA (EA) ........... Mid 28 BENWYVIS (Loxley) for Genon. London.

5 MARIEKERK (RIL) via Manila and April | G GLENBOY (Jardine) for Aden, Genoa TAIREA (Bl) ex-Calcutta via Straita .28 | R BENLEDI (Loxley) for London, May | 8 TALABOT (Thursten).

9 KAMBODIA (Empl Asiatio).

Early, TAMARA (Gilman).

PAA for Bangkok: 4 p.m.; San Francisco 10 SOCROTA (P. & O) for London. 12 HALLAND (Gliman). BOAC for Shanghal: 7.15 s.m. June Ind half, LT DE LA TOUR (MM) via AIR FRANCE for Salgon: I p.m.

Salgon. 16 GLENARTNEY (Jardine) for UK. 25 AGAPENOR (B & B), via Genos and Marnellics. End. MOLENKERK (RIL) via Manila and Straits. Mar End. MORTAIN (MM).

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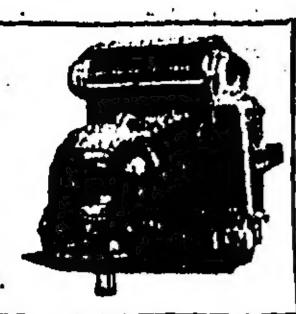
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# KRAMER GIVES HIMSELF FOUR MORE YEARS

(By BILL MACKLIN)

London, April 27. Big Jack Kramer, who says he is well on the way to earning his second \$100,000 playing professional tennis, concedes himself four more years in the big-time.

"When someone comes up who can beat me consistently," said Jack in an interview in London, "|'|| retire from competitive play completely.

life," he said. "and has the will!

beers and lay off highballs,"

to Europe, in March. From

month, Jack beat Riggs, his re-

gular opponent, at least five out

track of the exact figure on

New Opponent

capture the Triple Crown this

Kramer rates Ted Schroeder

amateurs. Ted is a Californian

who helped Kramer regain the

"are Pancho Gonzalez and John

Bromwich, who is coming out of

Australia this year with nothing

to lose and everything to gain.

With no pressure on him, this

Gonzalez is the 21 year old

Yank who holds the three U.S.

Pot Of Gold

For one of them there's a pot

are the most enthusiastic in the

world, and he's played on four

From a world point of view.

1. Wimbledon, 2. The Davis

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games played:

The Club de Recreio has

Australian Championships l

Kramer ranks tournaments in

continents.

might be John's year."

"Equal second," Kramer said.

summer and join the Troupe.

purpose.

Kramer, who will be 28 on August 1, is acknowledged the best tennis player in the world today. He swept the amateur "Triple Crown" in 1947-winning the Wimbledon Championships, United States title and helping America hold the Davis Cup--and started to eash in with a Pro debut on December 26 that year.



victories in the Swhnming Championships in 1948, VRC has an cinizate swim-training programme for this season. The plan will begin with the official opening of the swim sea- on top of his short list of son-which the VRC will splash dramatically in a swim meet -arranged for the last week in Davis Cup from Australia in 1946.

May. The idea is this: VRC's champions and plentiful hopefuls of both sexes will be grouped unto live teams.

Each team will be captained by a champion with accepted knowhow about swimming and how not to do it. These teams will compete re-

spread out to cover the swimming courts and indoors, months leading to the championships. Each captain will be res- places Bob Falkenburg, These meets will be conducted Frankie Parker and Jaroslav Chinese Athletic. as an inter-members swim league Drobny, the Czech left hander. and will include water polo en- "Drolmy is the greatest player points at the end of the pro- Kramer Said," but unfortunately RA by two goals to one in a fast F.W.B. Parry, Officer Command- son (Buffs) and (3) Gnr. Richards gramme will receive club hen- be can't play three fough matches gramme will receive club hen- he can't play three tough matches and interesting game which was ing the 1st Bn. The Buffs Regiours; meanwhile they will have in a week like you have to do witnessed by one of the largest ment. had a lot of practice both in at Wimbledon," training and outright competition An excellent idea, if it works

out well.

of gold awaiting-if he can only The European YMCA also has prove supreme as an amateur bright ideas about their swim- | during the next six months. ming talents. The "Y" pool now | "I'll show him my bank open and the fortnightly "splash | account," said Jack, "and I don't nights' twhich proved to be a think I'll have any trouble getgreat success last year, will again ting him to turn pro. I made be worked upon. \$115,000 the first year."

The YMCA also had a sort of Kramer thinks English fans competition league last yearwon by young Peter Thompsonbut on a minor scale.

They have at least one swinmer that deserve notice. She is Norma Stevens, who has a fine this order of importance: style, especially in the back stroke -youth (she is 14-year-old), and most of all, keenness, supported with a lot of energy.

The Hong Kong Cricket Club | tied for fifth .- Associated Press. will open their lawn bowl season on May 4, at 5.15 p.m. Bowling Clubs all over the Colony have been invited to send players to initiate their opening of the

The HKCC are entering one team in the First Division League this year and another in the Third

Holland, who surprised the so many bowlers at their dislocal hockey sports world by posal they have already made their defeat of England in the a start in initiating an intrapreliminary tiff on Monday, club tournament. meets India in the semi-finals.

The Dutchmen will, however, be without the service of Visser, the tournament. The following their goalle, who actually paved are the entries: the way to the Dutch victory over the English. Visser is leaving his week for Java.

We'll soon he hearing a good Lopes and C.F. Remedies (skip), deal about yachts in the Colony. it's sailing time for the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, famous and O. Rosa Pereira (akip). for their neat manuouvring on naight sunny they at Kowlcon and J.A. da Luz (skip).

## ST. JOSEPH'S

The First Division soccer match Bilva and R.F. da Lus. (skip). between St. Joseph's and Roval Navy will be played on Saturday. April 30, on the Club Ground at F.V.V. Hibelro (skip), 5 n.m.

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# May Come In Mid-May

Every effort is being made by local boxing promoters to arrange for Joe Louis, retired undefeated heavyweight champion of the world, to visit Hong Kong during the middle

This information was divulged to the "China Mall" yesterday by Mr. J. Rainey of the Golden Gloves, who said that Louis had been contacted and had expressed a keen desire to come here.

"There are, however, certain difficulties in the way and if these How much longer can be reign? can be overcome, there is no reason why Hong Kong should "If a guy lives a good clean not have an opportunity of secing the Brown Bomber in the to win, I think he could stay on flesh" declared Mr. Rainey.

top until he was 32. But it takes If the plans which are now in working at, I have to ration my an embryonic stage come to fruition, Louis will take part in a Charity Show, with the follow-Kramer brought his touring mg well-known boxers appearing troupe, including Bobby Riggs. in preliminary bouts: Dinny Pails and Pancho Segura,

Ramsey Bucks, Kid Pedruco, Rocky Thompson, Barrago, Trent, Silva and Santos.

Louis is due to arrive in Manila of six times. They have lost | on May 2 and to fight in a Charity Show at Rizal Stadium on May 5.

Mr. Rainey also revealed that Sam Pong, Middleweight Cham-The act needs to be freshened, pion of Malaya, is also likely to Inspired by their sweeping with a new opponent for Kramer, be seen in action here next he hopes that an amateur will month,

## A Friendly Soccer Game

A return friendly soccermatch between the Marine Department XI and 25th RA has been arranged for today, at Gasgoine Road, Kowtoon, commencing at 5.30 p.m.

gularly in set programmes national titles -- on grass, hard Marker Department will be Li 25th Field Regiment RA, was Tai-fai, Chinese Olympic foot- presented by Mrs. De Burgh In the next group down, Kramer baller, Li Chun-fat, Chan Hing- Morris to Lieut. Stepto. chune, Kwok Cheuk-cheong, Chan Prizes were also presented to pensible for his on her own swim- American who wen the 1948 Kam-pul and Hung Hing-yuk, Individual winners, runners-up mers with regard to training etc. Wimbledon Crewn; Veteran Yank stars of Kowloon Motor Bus and and those coming in third in the

> When they last met, the Marine band of The Buffs Regiment, by crowds ever to attend a soccer match at Gun Club Hill. The 125th RA fielded eight players who Tamang (2/10 Gr); (2) Major had represented Army in the First | Yates (Buffs); and (3) Capt. A. Division of the Hong Kong Foo. Tansley (HKCTU). Height: 5 ft. ball League.

Today's game holds promise of being another rousing affair.

## RESULTS AT A GLANCE

Hong Kong League

SECOND DIVISION 0 Army Kin

Solicitors' 0 Police Chinese AA 1 KM Bus v St. Joseph's "Kit Chee

\* Ht. Joneph's failed to field a team. only two players, A.G. Jamail and A.K. Ismall being present at the time advertime for the kick-off.

## School League

BENIOR DIVISION A-Chindse PM 1 E Kadooria V A-Chinese AM v Govt. Vernacular |Queen's JUNIOR DIVISION

E Kadooris 0 Diocesan v Ying Wah La Sallo i These two matches were not played. # Ying Wah conceded walk-over in favour of La Ballo.

## KICK-OFF TIMES .

The time of kick-off for soccer matches over the week-end has been changed as under:--

First period from 3.30 p.m. to

Second period from 5 p.m. to

The Second Division match between Talkoo and Club will now be played on Club ground, (not Caroline Hill) on Sunday, May 1, at 5.30 p.m.

AECOND DIVISION

.. The following are the results of PUA's Dockyard; Navy, 5.44 p.m.; Re ferest Pie. Collins. C.O. Perelta's rink best L.P. Xuvier's Tramways v. Army-HK; Army "1", 3.45 p.m. | Refereet B.Y. Kwok,

# Cup To The Winners



Mrs. De Burgh Morris presenting the Challenge Cup, which was won by the 25th Field Regiment RA, to Lieut. Stepto at the conclusion of the Land Forces Hong Kong Athletic Meet at Sookunpoo yesterday .-- ("China Mail" Photo).

## Royal Artillery Win At Sports Meet

The first post-war Land Forces Hong Kong Athletic Meet held at Sookunpoo yesterday, was won by the 25th Field Regiment RA, who led the field with 104 points, closely followed by The Buffs with 94 points.

Javelin: (1) Ptc. Miller (Buffs).

Long Jump: (1) WO Hunt (Fld

(Buffs). Distance: 19 ft. 6 1/2 ins.

One Mile: (1) Gnr. Kirswell (25

220 yards: (1) Sgt. Jacques

(Fld Sec Sect), (2) Lleut, Stepto,

(25 Fd Regt RA), and (3) Pte.

Asterley (Buffs). Time: 25 1/5

Invitation Relay: (1) South

Royal Air Force. Time: 1 min.

440 yards: (1) Ptc. Barrage

(Buffs), (2) Cpl. Banks (Buffs),

and (3) Gnr. Hutchison (25 Fd

Hop Step and Jump: (1) Gnr.

Sykes (25 Fd Regt RA), (2) WO.

received a prize.

Strvice Corps, 4 points.

der OBE (Chief Track Judge);

Lt. Col. J.S. Vickers DSO 2/10

Grs. (Chief Field Judge); Major

K.H.S. Wilson, Buffs, Lleut Strat-

ford-Tuke, Buffs, Copt. H. Byrde,

Welch (Track Judge); Major W.

Leung (Amistant Clerk of the

RASC (Chief Recorder); Cpl. P.J.

Sunday, May 8.

The tug-of-war was won by the my bet in this game.

(Referce); Lt. Col. H.T. Alexan- null for their coffin.

The first competitors in each plight and will need every point

event will represent the Hong they can obtain if they wish to

At conclusion of the Meet, hadur (2/10 Gr). Time: 10 4/5 Among those will play for the the Challenge Cup, won by the secs. (2) Capt. P.B. Plumptre MBE (HKCTU), and (3) Lieut, Cahill (25 Fd Regt RA). Distance: 1343

> Sec Sect), (2) Sgt. Jacques (Fld Sec Sect), and (3) Ptc. Eation different events. Selections were rendered by the

(25 Fd Regt RA). Time: 5.1 1/5 The following were the results: High Jump: (1) Cpi. Gajabsing

Three Miles: (1) Pte. French China Athletic Association, (Buffs), (2) Ptc. Colwell (Buffs). and (3) 2/Lieut. Price (25 Fd Regt RA). Time: 19 mins. 40 3/5 Discus: (1) Cpl. Johns (Buffs),

(2) 2/Lieut. Cahill (25 Fd Regt Regt RA). Time: 59 4/5 sees. RA), and (3) Ptc. Cook (Buffs). Distance: 95 ft. 3 ins. 880 yards: (1) Gnr. Kirswell (25 Hunt (Fd Sec Sect), (3) Sgt. Jac-Fd Regt RA), (2) Lieut Strat- ques (Fd Sec Sect), and (4) Wolves. To me it looks as points from this game. Lincoln ford Tuke (Buffs), and (3) Pta 2/Lieut. Carr (25 Fd Regt RA). though it will be a rather one- City's fate has long since been Frankin (Buffs). Time: 2 mins. Distance: 39 ft. 9 lns. 18 2/5 secs.

Putting the Shot: (1) Pte. Regiment RA, (2) First Battalion Leicester romped away with things Forest, however, have showed Clarke (Buffs). (2) Gr.r. Ber- Buffs Regiment. Time: 4 mins, in their match with Portsmouth improved form of late and may tram (25 Fd Regt I:A) and (3) 12 3/5 sees. L/Cpl. Tejman Dewan (2/10 Gr). High Hurdles: (1) 2/Lieut, Cars however, it is so different, with will find things pretty hard go-Children's Race (under 10 years A. Tansley (HKCTU). Tin:e: setting the best of teams; With- The Hammers have only lost at

of age): Girls; (1) Mary McGrath. | 20 1/5 sees. Boys; (1) Geraid Mainwaring. 100 yards: (1) Lt. Stepto (25 | 25th Field Regiment RA, and By their, win at Bolton last In Division III (South) Swancach of the successful participants | Saturday, Pompey have put the sea assured themselves of re-Fd Regt RA), (2) Ptc. Miller (Buffs), and (3) C/Sgt. Padaba-

## Where To Get Army Sports News In future, all news regard-

ing Army Sports fixtures may be obtained from Captain Chisnail, Staff Officer. Physical Training, Army Headquarters. This information is con-

tained in a letter written by the Public Relations Officer to those Chinese newspapers which enforced a blackout of news in regard to the visit and games of the Singapore Army Socoar XI over the Easter holidays. The Chinese newspapers in.

question enforced the blackout of news because it was alloged that there had been discrimination in the dissemination of news relative to the visit of the Singapore Army Soccer XI. \* The letter from the Public Relations Officer reads:

."We thank you for your letter of April 21 and for the courtesy of the explanation of the circumstances which led to your decision. For the future, information regarding Army 'Sports fixtures may always be obtained from Captain Chianall, Slaff Offiour, Physical Training, Army Headquarters."

# 1956 Olympiad

Rome, April 25.

mittee will argue their case on Thursday afternoon, emphasizing the natural facilities of their city. Their nearest rival, a delegation from Detroit, will argue that they have been asking for the Games for the past 10 years and have everything ready to house the Winning pitcher Preacher Roe, 1958 Games.

The other cities seeking to stage the Games are San Francisco, New York .......... 11 14 Los Angeles, Philadelphia, Minneapolls, Buenos Aires and Winning pitcher Schoolboy Rowe, Mexico City.-Reuter.

in English football.

Medley Relay: (1) 25th Field course—one may reflect on how boot from Division II for them.

Results of the Team Champion, beyond dispute. I think every- son by virtue of their win over

ship: (1) 25th Field Regiment RA. one will agree they are worthy Brighton last Saturday. This

104 points; (2) The Buffs, 94 of the honour over their season's week they are at home to Bristol

points; (3) Field Security, 32 displays, with not an outstanding City and should take an easy

Home Team Favoured

Middlesboro and Sheffield

points; (4) Gurkha, 27 points; player among them but a team two points from this match.

(By ALCYDES)

The long trail to Wembley ends on Saturday when

Wolverhampton, the favourites, enter the

arena with Leicester City. There is nothing

to compare in the soccer world with a FA

Cup Final at the stadium, with its billiard

table like surface playing pitch and its teem-

ing thousands thronging the terraces. Yes,

undoubtedly this is the game of the season

Little doubt exists in my mind | West Bromwich are at home

that the Cup will go to the Mid- to Barnsley and should have

lands in the safe custody of the little difficulty in taking full

in the semi-final. At Wembley, yet save the 'day. I think they

out any hesitation Wolves have home once this season and which

leadership issue in league one turning to Division II next sea-

# GUINEAS

Newmarket, April 27. Getting up in the last stride, Mrs. M. Glenister's Nimbus beat the favourite, Major MacDonald --Buchanan's Abernant by a short head in a photofinish to win the Two Thousand Guineas, the first classic of the British turf season, run over a mile here today. Mr. H. Lane's Barnes Park, a 100. to 1 outsider and the solo Northern challenger, finished a further four lengths away, third of 13 runners.

Nimbus, by Nearco out of Kong, was ridden by Charlle Elliott and started at. 10 to 1 against. A special place betting of 7 to. 4 against was paid on Nimbus. Abernant, who just failed to become the first grey winner since Mister Jinks in 1929, started at 5 to 4.—Reuter.

# To Be Decided

The decision on the site for the 1956 Olympic Games will be made on Friday when the International Olympic Committee, at present in session here, east their votes in a secret ballot.

## DODGERS BRAVES, 5-2

New York, April 27. The Brooklyn Dodgers pulled the first triple play of the major League baseball season yesterday and fielded flawlessly to whip the Boston

Cleveland

Brooklyn held its half game lead in the National League.

At Philadelphia, Del Ennis slammed an 11th inning home | Philadelphia ...... run with one on to give the New York ..... Phillies a 12-11 slugiest Winning pitcher Joe Page, triumph over the New York St. Louis ...... Giants.

Braves 5-2.

Cincinnati at St. Louis was postponed, due to rain. Chicago and l'ittsburgh were not schedul-

In the American League, rookle Infielder Gerry Coleman homered in the eighth inning with a man on base to give the New York Yankees a 5-4 victory over the Fhiladelphia Athletics.

Manager Lou Boudreau hit his first homer of the season as his Cleveland Indians defeated the St. Louis Browns 1-0.

Boudreau's long hit was one of only four hits allowed by Reds In a doubleheader at Chleago,

the iheavy hitting of the Detroit able." The Melbourne invitation Com- rookie sensation, Johnny Groth. NATIONAL LEAGUE

the Detroit Tigers defeated the

loser Johnny Sain.

Philadelphia ..... 12 13 loser Andy Hansen.

### Detroit (1st game) ... Winning pitcher Birgil Trucks, loser Howle Judson. Detroit (2nd game) . 7

Winning pitcher Bob Lemon,

loser Red Embree.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

(10 innings) Winning pitcher Dizzy Trout, loser Bill Evans. \_Associated Press.

## HORSE TRAINER COLLAPSES

Newmarket, April 26. Walter Earl, the trainer of the Derby favourite, Swallow Tail, Embree, who was charged with collapsed in the Members' Stands during the racing at Newmarket today. He was taken from the course by an ambulance to the Rous Memorial Hospital, where ho White Sox 6-2 and 7-5 because of was stated to be "quite comfort-

Mr. Earl, who was appointed trainer to Lord Derby, the owner of Swallow Tall, in 1039, was previously trainer to the late Mr. S. Joel. -- Reuter.

## HKFA CALLS MEETING

A meeting of the Emergency. Sub-Committee of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held at the Association's office on Friday, April 29 at 5.15 p.m.

AGENDA Players sent off the field of play during the Second Division League match between South China and KMB played on Satur-1. Tam Ka-tsun of

Sports Club. 2. Chul Tak-wing of South China AA.

## BOWLING CONTEST

TAIROO CLUB BOWLING TEAMS Taikoo Club will entertain Hong Kong Electric in a five-rink bowling contest at Talkoo on Saturday, April 80, at 8.30 p.m. The players chosen to represent Taikoot-J. Nimmo, T.R. Maclean, A. Steven and J.C. Chalmers (skip). W. Cunningham, W. McColl, J.B. Baxer and C. Boyaird (akip). W. Nicholson, C. McLellan, J. Waid and J.H. Kinniburgh (akip). J. Rowan, J.A. Smith, F.S. Thomson and J.A. Watson (skip). B. Baker, D.R. Dally, R.B. Marshall and W.G. McKie (skip).

## HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

London, April 20: The following were the results sided affair-I may be wrong of scaled and it is the order of the of football matches played today ENGLISH LEAGUE Third Division (Northern) Oldham Athletic 0 Hull City 2 Halifax IRISH LEAGUE

(25 Fd Regt RA), and (2) Capt. the tension experienced there up- ing at West Ham on Saturday. Linfield-4 Ballymena Linfield's win makes them the Irish League champions.—Reuter RUGBY GAME

## RESULTS London, April 26.

The following were the result of rugger games played today: RUGHY UNION: Bath 25 Penzance and Newlyn 8. Teignmouth 5 Gloucester 9. RUGBY LEA. GUE: Keighley 15 Bradford Northern 8. Dowsbury 28 Belle Vue Rangers 5. - Reuter.

### MITCHELL BACK IN ENGLAND London, April 28. Vic Mitchell, who won the Lin

columbire Handicap in 1939, ; of Squadron Castle, when an apprentice, is back in England' all ter riding with considerable success in India. He goes to the scale at elgh stone. - Reuter.

The following will prepresent the Hong Kong Football Club 'an their First Division soccer match against Kwong Wah at Boundary Street on Saturday at 5 pimi: ... Catton, Fowler, Strange, Well ler, Forrow, Beck, Barclay, Mullen, Nelson, Klernan and Main.

Accrington v GATESHEAD BARROW v N. Brighton BRADFORD C. v Crewe DONCASTER v York

(5) Hong Kong Chinese Training who has played as one man. This Forecast for matches to be Unit, 14 points; (6) Royal Army week they entertain Huddersfield played on Saturday 30th April, who are really in a desperate 1949. FA CUP FINAL DIVISION I Kong Land Forces in the Quad- avoid relegation, I fear though BIRMINGHAM v Aston Villa rangular Meeting to be held on there is little hope of points com- BURNLEY v Liverpool ing their way from Fratton Park, Charlton v Derby Co. Officials: Col. T. H. Spear, OBE and it will mean just another CHELSEA'v Sunderland MANCHESTER C. v Arsenal MIDDLESBRO v Sheffeld U.

Newcastle v Manchester U. PORTSMOUTH v Huddersfield PRESTON v Bolton Stoke v BLACKPOOL United both involved in the re-Penaluna, Northumberland Fusi- legation battle oppose each other, liers, Capt. G.A. McGrath, Buffs, on the former's ground this week Brentford v Plymouth and I am rather inclined to BURY v Grimsby P.G. Goss, Buff's, (Field Judges). favour the chances of the Home Chesterfield v Southampton Capt. L.J.H. Payne MBE RE team. It is certainly a mix up COVENTRY v Queens P.R. (Starter); CSMI T.L. Weatherall, at the bottom of this table. LEEDS U. v Cardiff APTC (Clerk of the Couse); Mr. Preston may well save their Lincoln v BRADFORD higher lengue status with a win SHEFF WED. v Luton

proves they are a pretty safe bet.

Course); SSM F.W. Webster over Bolton, at home this week. Toltenham v FULHAM In Division II, the pace is still WEST BROM. v Barnsley Brown RASC (Assistant Re- a hot one, with Southampton WEST HAM v Notts corder); Major T.R. Cook, R. Fulham and West Bromich DIVISION III (SOUTH) Sigs. Capt. P. Collins, Middlesex, Albion battling is out for pro- Bournemouth v MILLWALL, (Announcers); Capt. N.D. Poul- motion. This week Soton are BRISTOL ROVERS y Norwich son, Buffs, Capt. R.W.L. McAl'ater away to Chesterfield and on re- CRYSTAL PAL. v Leyton O. 2/10 Grs. (Time Keepers); L/Cpl. cent showings will do well to IPSWICH v Aldershot G. Everny, RASC. Pte. R. Dob- come away with a point. Ful- NEWPORT v. Exeter son, RASC, (Corner Judres); ham's match with Spurs at White NOTTS CO. v Brighton CSMI E.L. Carvell, APTC, SSI Hart Lane provides the high- READING v Swindon

Smith, APTC, (Chief Whipe); Sgt. light of this league on Saturday SWANSEA v Bristol City Manson (Lap Scorer); SMI E.S. and past record reveal that the TORQUAY v. Northampton ... Tamlyn, APTC (Chief Marshall); Cottagers, have only lost there Walsall v Southend Capt. H.J. Chimall, SOPT, once in the last six games. I'm WATFORD v. Port Vale

Suffolks, Hon, Secretary and Or- tipping the promotion aspirants,

DIVISION III (NORTH)

HALIFAX v Southport HULL v. Stockport Manafield v HOCHDALE OLDHAM, v Hartleptois ROTHERHAM v | Carlisle

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I'MD Chinose v Club (Cancelled).

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Tranmero v DARLINGTON

WREXHAM v Chester